

# LIFE



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NOVEMBER 6, 1950

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To keep your mouth and breath more wholesome, sweeter, cleaner, guard against tooth decay and gum troubles *both*. Never risk halfway dental care. Use doubly-

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## Fight tooth decay and gum troubles both— to keep your Whole Mouth Wholesome!



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To help your youngsters grow up with healthier, cleaner mouths, show them how to fight tooth decay and gum troubles *both*. Remember, tooth decay hits 9 out of 10 children before the age of six. And later in life, gum troubles cause *more than half* of all tooth losses. So start your children today on the *Ipana* way to healthier teeth and healthier gums *both*.

Only one leading tooth paste is designed  
to give you this double protection!\*

If you want a healthier, more wholesome mouth, take the advice of dentists—fight *gum troubles* as well as tooth decay.

With one famous tooth paste—\*with *Ipana* and massage—you can guard your teeth and gums *BOTH*.

No other tooth paste—ammoniated or otherwise—has been proved more effective than *Ipana* to *fight tooth*

*decay*. And no other leading tooth paste is specially designed to stimulate gum circulation—*promote healthier gums*.

Remember, *Ipana* is the only leading tooth paste made especially to give you this doubly-protective, doubly-effective care.

Now, today, start this *double* protection—keep your whole mouth “*Ipana* wholesome.” You’ll like *Ipana*’s wholesome, refreshing flavor, too. Get *Ipana*!

NEW!

Big economy size *Ipana*  
saves you up to 23¢



Product of Bristol-Myers

# IPANA

For healthier teeth, healthier gums



**Saves you over 200 hours of work a year!**

**Frees your hands from dishpan soaking!**

# NO OTHER AUTOMATIC DISHWASHER CAN MATCH THIS GREAT NEW G-E!

**U**NTIL you've tried it, it's hard to believe what a marvelous convenience this great new General Electric Automatic Dishwasher is!

With many superb new features—a combination of features you can't get in any other dishwasher—it'll spare you over 200 hours of hard, disagreeable work every year, give you over 200 long hours of extra leisure time!

It'll save your hands. (They needn't soak in a dishpan again!) It'll save your soap and dish towels—to say nothing of your disposition!

If ever a kitchen appliance was a sheer blessing to the American housewife (and to husbands who have to help with the dishes), it's this new G-E Automatic Dishwasher!

## COMBINATION MODEL

Automatic Dishwasher built in with the G-E Sink. Porcelain-enameled sink has steel cabinet with ample storage space. The famous G-E Disposal® can be readily installed in it!



## THE NEW G-E DISHWASHER HAS ALL THESE FEATURES:

**Completely Automatic**—Turn one simple control and dishes, glasses, pans and silver are washed, rinsed and dried—*sparkling clean!*

**New Power Pre-rinse**—Flushes food particles off dishes, out of the dishwasher. Then, after washing, there are two more power rinses!

**"Spray-Rub" Washing Action**—Gets rid of sticky foods and grease! New Wash-Action Regulator gives uniform action for

many dishes—or just a few—and protects fragile pieces!

**Higher Water Temperatures**—New Calrod® heating unit begins to increase water temperature the instant dishwasher starts! Water gets far hotter than your hands could ever stand. Washes dishes to hygienic cleanliness!

**Drying By Electrically Heated Air**—Heated air is circulated up around the dishes—rapidly drying everything to a dia-

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**Top Opening for Easy Loading**—No tire-some bending or stooping!

**Giant Capacity**—Washes complete family service for eight—once-a-day dishwashing for an average family of four!

**Long-lasting Dependability**—General Electric's name assures you long years of top-quality performance!

**FREE DEMONSTRATION**—Ask your G-E dealer to show you the new G-E Automatic Dishwasher in actual operation! (You'll find your G-E dealer listed under "Dish-

washing Machines" in your classified telephone directory. Or write to General Electric Company, Appliance and Merchandising Dept., Bridgeport 2, Connecticut.)



## FREE-STANDING MODEL

The wonderful new General Electric Automatic Dishwasher that will match stand-ard base cabinets.

**You can put your confidence in—**

**GENERAL  ELECTRIC**





## Over 600,000 Bell Telephone People Are Helping to Get Things Done

It takes many things, all put together, to provide good telephone service for a big and busy Nation.

There are telephone instruments and switchboards and buildings and almost endless miles of wires and cables across the country.

These are important. But they could not possibly do the job without the skill, loyalty and courtesy of more than 600,000 Bell Telephone men and women.

That is the vital human force that puts life into all of this telephone equipment and makes it work smoothly and efficiently for millions of people. That is the priceless asset of the Nation's telephone system.

Essential as they are in peace, the skill, courtesy and energy of Bell Telephone people are of even greater value in time of national defense. They are now helping the country's industries and armed forces to get things done.

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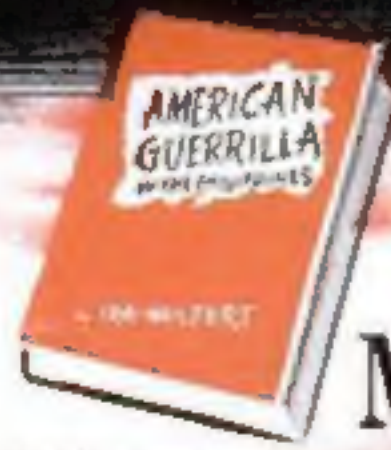
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and thus acquire a collection of the world's  
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greatest artists and beautifully printed  
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WHEN WE LAY stress upon the fact that this offer can be made "for a brief time only," there are unmanly tears on our cheeks.

For we would *like* to be able to offer Trial Memberships to all comers at all times. We would *like* to be able to expand the membership of The Heritage Club, and *expand* it, and *expand* it.

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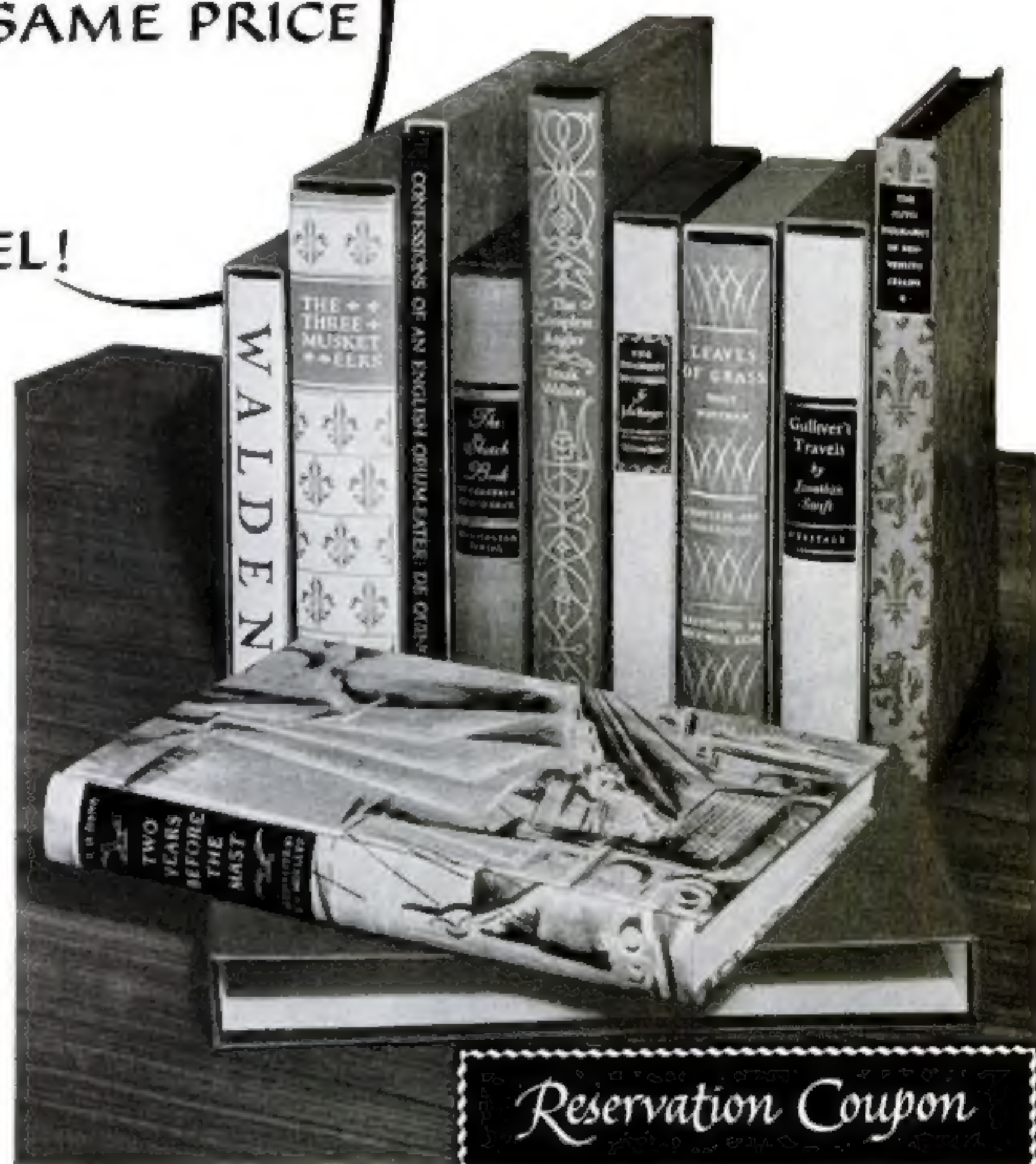
FOR The Heritage Club distributes to its members "the classics which are our heritage from the past, in editions which will be the heritage of the future." These books are not falsely "de luxe," nor are they old editions dressed up for a new market. They are especially designed by

the most famous typographers, illustrated by the greatest of the world's artists, carefully printed by leading printers on fine papers chemically tested to assure a life of at least two centuries, handsomely bound and in protective slipcases.

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Drillers have now gone down nearly four miles in the search for oil—just about as deep as Mt. McKinley is high. *Progress in the science of finding oil is adding billions of barrels to our oil reserves.*



Every day, America's oil transportation system moves 240,000,000 gallons of oil where and when it is wanted—does it so efficiently that *a gallon of gasoline actually costs you less than a gallon of distilled water.*



In 1859, with long-hours of backbreaking labor, the average farmer raised only enough to feed a family of five. *Today, with oil-powered farm machinery one farmer can feed himself and fourteen other people.*

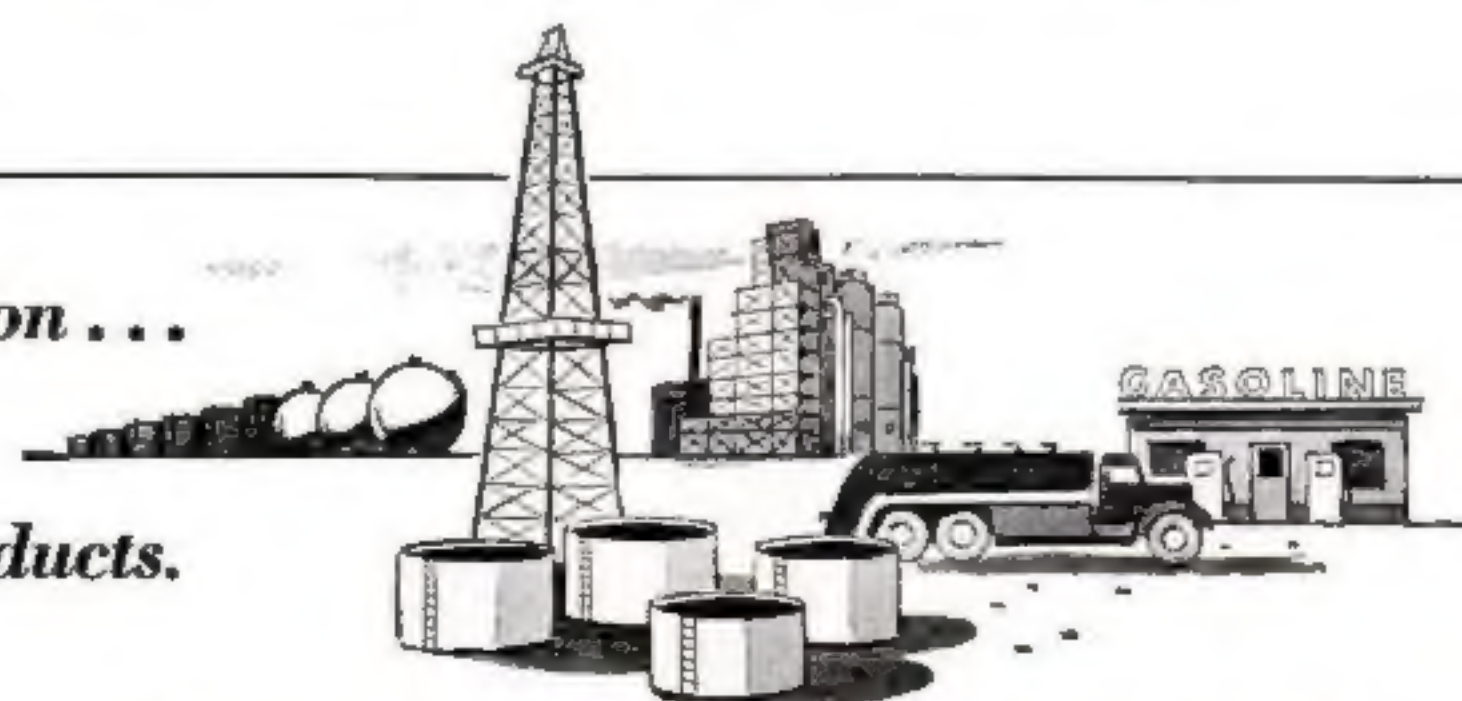


With thousands of companies competing in oil marketing, *gasoline is one of the few things you can buy today that costs about the same (taxes excluded) as it did 25 years ago.*

**T**HE AMERICAN OIL INDUSTRY is better prepared today than ever before to meet any national emergency. This country's capacity to produce and refine petroleum has increased around 25 per cent since the peak demands of World War II.

In peace or war, oil men working in America's privately-managed, competing oil companies provide the nation with the largest possible supplies of petroleum products—products of the highest quality at the lowest prices in the world.

*Thousands of oil companies mean competition ...  
competition means progress ...  
oil progress means more and better products.*



Oil Industry Information Committee, 50 West 50th Street, New York 20, N. Y.



When you change from "Miss" to "Mrs."

remember the patterns with these



New SPRING GARDEN

When that happy time comes for you to take a new name... remember an old name, too. It's "Holmes & Edwards", of course, the silverplate that stays lovelier longer!

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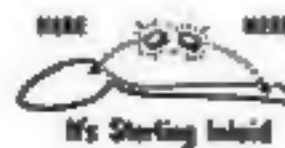
It's the different, finer silverplate that's Sterling Inlaid with two blocks of sterling silver at the backs of bowls and handles of most-used spoons and forks!

DANISH PRINCESS

And you needn't take years buying this silverware "piece-by-piece". 8 place settings in Holmes & Edwards Silverplate plus 4 serving pieces, only \$69.95! No Excise Tax.

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**HOLMES & EDWARDS**  
STERLING INLAID®  
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MADE BY THE INTERNATIONAL SILVER CO.

ALL PATTERNS MADE IN U.S.A.





## from Cups to Coralox

Blin, the great French ceramist, made the first spark plug insulators at Limoges, about the latter half of the last century. He called them "porcelains," because they were made from clay used for artists' paint cups.

That's why the insulator was called the "porcelain," long after AC abandoned use of this ceramic material. Porcelain cracked from heat shock—and had many other weaknesses.

As engines and fuels improved, new ceramic materials were developed to meet increasingly difficult operating conditions—but all contained clay, which severely limited the insulator's ability to render reliable performance.

AC's new patented **CORALOX** Insulator is free of these restrictions. Compared with previous insulator materials, it has the following amazing characteristics: Basic in chemical composition—resists oxide fouling; 4 times greater heat conductivity; 3 times the mechanical strength against fracture; Complete resistance to heat shock; 10 times greater electrical resistance at high temperatures.

What do these qualities mean to you, the car owner? Easier starting—smoother idling—better performance under all operating conditions—longer spark plug life.

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Send for this booklet—no charge. It tells you why **CORALOX** is the greatest spark plug improvement since AC invented the one-piece plug.

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INSULATOR

MORE NEW CARS AND TRUCKS  
ARE EQUIPPED WITH AC SPARK PLUGS  
THAN WITH ANY OTHER MAKE





## Enchanted Evening by Zenith

*The Setting:* You..Your guests..**1951 Black Magic TV**  
with Reflection-Proof Screen

Your guests arrive...You try not to look too obviously proud as you switch on your new Zenith... Conversation ripples to a whisper...

Then—a flood of excited comment...“I can scarcely believe what I’m seeing!” ..“I had no idea television could be so big and real”...“It’s so wonderfully clear and steady”...

Then comes the magic moment! Never leaving your easy chair, you change programs with Zenith’s “Lazy Bones,” the amazing remote control that fits in your palm. Click...click...click...you change one program after another, no knob to touch or re-tune!

“It’s sheer Black Magic” someone exclaims. And it is...Your magic passport to enchanted evenings from now on, is this incredibly fine, in-

credibly beautiful new Zenith for 1951. Your Zenith dealer invites you to a pre-view...now!

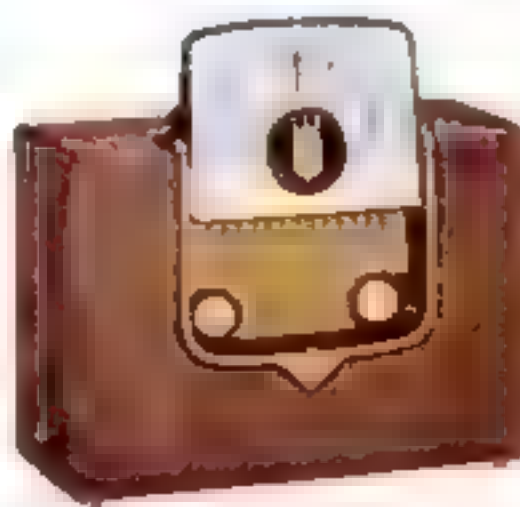
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**“Must see” before you buy any TV:** Zenith’s new 2-in-1 screen with Reflection-Proof Blaxide Tube. Bans room reflections as well as glare, even in fully lighted surroundings, as doctors recommend viewing. Gives you two picture shapes in one set (Giant Circle or rectangular type) at the touch of a switch! New “Super-Range” Chassis gets programs far clearer in outlying locations. Pre-tuned Picturemagnet built-in antenna needs no adjusting. All this plus built-in provision for tuner strips to receive proposed Ultra-High Frequencies on present standards. Glorious new cabinets of lifetime beauty and quality.

(Above) Zenith® TV Combination, the “Elmer”. New 165 sq. in. 2-in-1 screen. New “Cobra-Matic” Record Changer—simplest all-speed changer ever invented! FM-AM radio with new, more powerful speaker. Exquisite Regency cabinet, genuine Mahogany veneers. Your choice of a wide variety of new Zenith TV consoles, table sets, combinations.



**New Zenith “Zephyr”®**  
Table radio for Long-Distance AM reception. New Giant Dial-Speaker combines larger, extra-powerful Alnico-S speaker with easy-tuning dial. “Flexo-Grip” handle. Walnut, Ebony or White plastic cabinet.



**New Zenith “Universal”®**  
Super-powered standard broadcast portable — with tone richness comparable to big consoles. Smart luggage-type case in buffalo-grained black or brown. Works on battery, AC, DC.







*No matter how you look at it...*

...you reflect on what a fine ground coffee, it is. Freshness, richness, and purity.

Choices are made every day, one of these qualities is paramount. So why not buy the coffee that offers you all of them? Because A&P Coffee is extra fresh because it's roasted to your A&P Store in the roaster, fresh beans. There's a blend to suit your taste for mild, medium, and strong. And Control Grinding, at the moment you say "for the way you make coffee," guarantees rich, full flavor in every cup. And because the price for A&P Coffee is only 1¢ a pound, the average coffee lover can't resist.

Try any way you look at it, A&P Coffee is the coffee for you. And the fact that it's a great value will increase your interest. Try it.

**A&P COFFEE**

AT ALL A&P FOOD STORES



**NATION'S FAVORITE**

More people drink A&P Coffee than any other! In fact, our Eight O'Clock blend alone outsells any other brand of coffee American households buy!





# LETTERS TO THE EDITORS

## U.S. SCHOOLS

Sirs:

Herrin Township High School Herrin, Illinois					
RECORD OF <i>Life Magazine</i>					
TERM ENDING <i>Oct-16-1950</i>					
SUBJECT	PERIODS PER WEEK	MARK	TIMES ABSENT	TIMES TARDY	FINAL MARK
<i>Science</i>	<i>1</i>				<i>A+</i>
REMARKS <i>Excellent work</i>					
TEACHER <i>James M. ...</i>					

NOTE: The student should keep this record for future reference. Parents are invited to visit the school and cooperate with the faculty to the end that the student may do the most satisfactory work.

Herrin Township High School  
Herrin, Ill.

TONY DENECONI  
Social Problems Instructor

Sirs:

I believe your special issue on education (LIFE, Oct. 16) to be the most significant contribution to the cause of education in the U.S. in the last 50 years.

GEO. C. ROGERS, M.A.  
Superintendent

Charleston Public Schools  
Charleston, S.C.

Sirs:

Examination of LIFE's impressive education number calls for hearty congratulations for skillful, objective reporting and intelligent interpretation of functions and problems. You have rendered American schools one of the great services of this generation.

WORTH MCCLURE  
Executive Secretary

American Association of  
School Administrators  
Washington, D.C.

Sirs:

We have two children just starting school. THANK YOU! THANK YOU! THANK YOU!

MRS. GERALD E. RICH  
Wichita, Kan.

Sirs:

How do you expect me to be an alert schoolteacher tomorrow, after sitting up half the night to read this week's LIFE?

VIRGINIA BRANDON  
Belington, W.Va.

Sirs:

You treated differing points of view with both candor and fairness, and short-circuited the verbosity so com-

mon in the discussion of educational issues. Needless to say we are making use of the issue in our classes. . . .

STUART M. STOKES  
Professor of Psychology  
and Education

Mount Holyoke College  
South Hadley, Mass.

Sirs:

Today from the pulpit I called every parishioner's attention to your special issue on U.S. schools, the most provocative and valuable edition of any current periodical. . . .

THE REV. JOHN O. BRUCE, S.T.M.  
Priest-in-Charge  
St. John's Episcopal Church  
Naperville, Ill.

Sirs:

Blessings to you on that wonderful issue of LIFE on education.

FATHER JAMES KELLER, M.M.  
Director

The Christophers  
New York, N.Y.

Sirs:

Thanks loads for the wonderful issue on schools. I attend Highland Park High. After all the tearing down this generation has gotten, it's nice to know we really deserve a magazine issue.

SUE MANDEL  
Highland Park, Ill.

Sirs:

This picture (below) speaks for itself as to the enthusiasm of the Gulf Park students for the Oct. 16 issue.

ANN YATES  
Gulf Park College  
Gulfport, Miss.



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only the  
**Van Heusen CENTURY Shirt**  
has the patented soft collar that

# won't wrinkle ever!



Secret behind Van Heusen Century! It's woven in one piece. No sewn or fused layers to wrinkle. Fold line woven in to stay . . . can't be ironed wrong.

Two collar models, single or French cuffs.

Regular collar: Van Heusen Century 100, \$3.95 Van Heusen Century 400, \$4.95  
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In blue, tan or grey—\$3.95 only.



Perspiration won't wilt it! Soft collar of new Van Heusen Century keeps neat and smart round the clock... without starch...or stays.

Laundering won't hurt it! Easy to launder—you can't even iron-in wrinkles. No starch, less ironing mean more comfort...more wear.

Patented one-piece collar! Has no lining—just can't wrinkle. Van Heusen "Comfort Contour" collar styling always gives a neat look.

# Van Heusen

REG. T.M.

## CENTURY shirts

A new shirt free if your Van Heusen shrinks out of size! \$3.95 and \$4.95  
Phillips-Jones Corp., New York 1, N.Y., Makers of Van Heusen Shirts•Sport Shirts•Ties•Pajamas•Collars



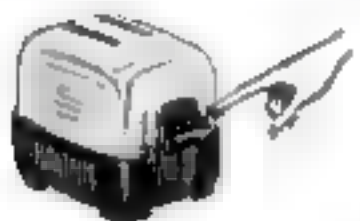
How to be toast-happy  
for years and years!



See the General Electric Automatic Toaster at your retailer's—\$22.95\*

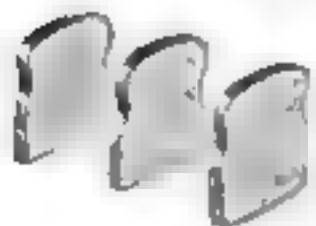
### New General Electric Automatic Toaster pops toast up or keeps it down till you're ready!

#### Toast when you want it!



The new General Electric will pop your toast up—or, if you prefer, keep it down until you're ready for it. Toast that waits until breakfast is ready—toast when you want it.

#### Toast as you like it!



However you like your toast—light, medium, or dark—you can have it. Just set the control. This toaster will deliver toast to your taste—whether you toast one slice or twenty!

#### Snap-in Crumb Tray!



Gone are the days when it took all morning to get the crumbs out of the toaster. This shiny, sturdy beauty has a snap-in crumb tray—you can give it a complete cleaning in less than a minute. General Electric Company, Bridgeport 2, Connecticut.

\*Price subject to change without notice.

"Toast to Your Taste—Every Time"

GENERAL  ELECTRIC

## LETTERS TO THE EDITORS

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Sirs:

Can you grant permission to reproduce your test ("How Good Is Your School?") for distribution to member schools?

ROY K. WILSON

National Education Association  
Washington, D.C.

• Yes. LIFE has also made this test, plus "The Educated Man," "Our Schools Have Kept Us Free," "A Roper Survey," "Know How vs. Know Why," "Who Teaches the Teachers?" and "The Parents Go to Work," available to the National Citizens Commission for the Public Schools, 2 West 45th Street, New York, N.Y. Copies of any or all of these, as well as reports on communities' efforts to improve their schools, may be obtained free from the commission.—ED.

Sirs:

I am a teacher myself, just back after a three-year absence. For the past month I had been asking myself just why I had chosen this profession as I corrected papers and prepared the next day's lessons every night of the week. Your articles have reawakened in me a pride in being part of this profession. I pray God I may measure up to the responsibilities that are mine as a teacher.

PAUL H. BLONGREN

Hawthorne, Calif.

Sirs:

In the 12 years I have subscribed to LIFE this week's is the worst. There have been many issues in the past which contained rather boring things, such as brain operations, etc. But only for six or seven pages.

PAUL R. HOPE

New Castle, Del.

Sirs:

Congratulations on your special issue. It was of great interest to educators in our state because it is just the story we have been trying to get over to our voters. We vote Nov. 7 on two referendums and a House joint resolution for raising money to improve our school facilities at all levels.

WILSON COMPTON  
President

The State College of Washington  
Pullman, Wash.

### TEACHER CARRIES ON

Sirs:

Your magazine has made a most important and much needed survey. Since I am the "teacher" concerned in "The Teacher Carries On With Her Job" . . . I found some errors—I graduated from Southwest Missouri State College, not Southeast. I paid \$1,750, not \$1,200, for my car (all my friends are asking me to place an order for a \$1,200 auto). I taught first and second grade, not kindergarten, in Jasper, Mo. My participation in N.E.A. activities reflects one of the satisfactions I find in teaching. I love "kids"—but I'm not in any way married to my job—it was rather of a shock to be shown as a Pollyanna sort of person. I date regularly and am much too busy to be frustrated.

LOIS WINTER

Webster Groves, Mo.

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## TASTES tip-top!



For bright, wake-up flavor, there's no breakfast juice like Sunsweet Prune Juice!

## MAKES YOU tick-tock!



And there's no juice like Sunsweet for regularity! Unlike other prune juices, it never varies in laxative strength. An exclusive Duffy-Mott process keeps every glassful the same.

ONLY SUNSWEET  
HAS UNIFORM  
LAXATIVITY

Sunsweet  
PRUNE JUICE

As prepared and distributed  
by the makers of . . .

MOTT'S APPLE JUICE  
MOTT'S APPLE SAUCE  
MOTT'S SWEET CIDER  
MOTT'S JELLIES  
MOTT'S VINEGARS





# How Wild can the West be?

A Park Avenue gal caught off guard...

a Rodeo champ who makes the most of it!

Go ahead...YOU take it from there!



**IRENE DUNNE**

**FRED MACMURRAY**

**IRENE SINGS!**  
"ONCE YOU FIND YOUR GUY"  
"THE MAN WITH  
THE BIG FELT HAT"  
"SAGEBRUSH LULLABY"

The Big Egg of  
"The Egg and I"  
was never better!

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# NEVER A DULL MOMENT!

Produced by HARRIET PARSONS

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Screenplay by LOU BRESLOW and DORIS ANDERSON





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a beautiful piano with magnificent tone

## LETTERS TO THE EDITORS

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### OLDEST U.S. SCHOOL

Sirs:

I note on page 131 an item "Oldest Schoolhouse." Now about 50 years ago I served my country at St. Augustine, Fla. At that time and even now there is a house open to the public that has been called the "Oldest Schoolhouse in the U.S." ..

L. R. ELKINS  
(Major L. R. Elkins, Ret.)

St. Petersburg, Fla.



ST. AUGUSTINE'S "OLDEST"

Sirs:

Because you may hear from claimants of the so-called "oldest schoolhouse" in St. Augustine, Fla., I am prompted to present the evidence of historians regarding it and the Voorlezer's House. According to deeds filed in Richmond County, the latter was used as a school and church from its earliest construction before 1696. Earliest mention of the "oldest schoolhouse" at St. Augustine is in a 1763 deed. Furthermore it was not used as a school until 1790. Prior to 1790 the building was simply a dwelling.

VERNON B. HAMPTON  
President

Staten Island Historical Society  
New York, N.Y.

● The St. Augustine Historical Society also agrees with LIFE.—ED.

### KNOW HOW VS. KNOW WHY

Sirs:

Here's hoping every parent will have the opportunity to read Bernard Bell's article. Have we been guilty of taking a priceless grain of truth and by properly soaking it in 20th-Century fatuity developed a mountain of untruth?

PROFESSOR J. L. PICKARD  
University of Arizona  
Tucson, Ariz.

Sirs:

Canon Bell is in my opinion an embittered old oaf. I thought men with such an amazing disregard for the individual had died out long ago. . . .

LAWRENCE L. ORR JR.  
Decatur, Ga.

### WHO TEACHES THE TEACHERS?

Sirs:

Congratulations on a balanced and unusually authentic job. The most serious exception is a prejudiced raw deal by cowardly anonymous "Sperry" ("Who Teaches the Teachers?").

EDGAR FULLER  
Executive Secretary  
National Council of  
Chief State School Officers  
Washington, D.C.

Sirs:

I can speak for this teachers' college only. . . . The faculty here is, if anything, better trained than the average faculty of the average liberal arts college; we are not suffering from

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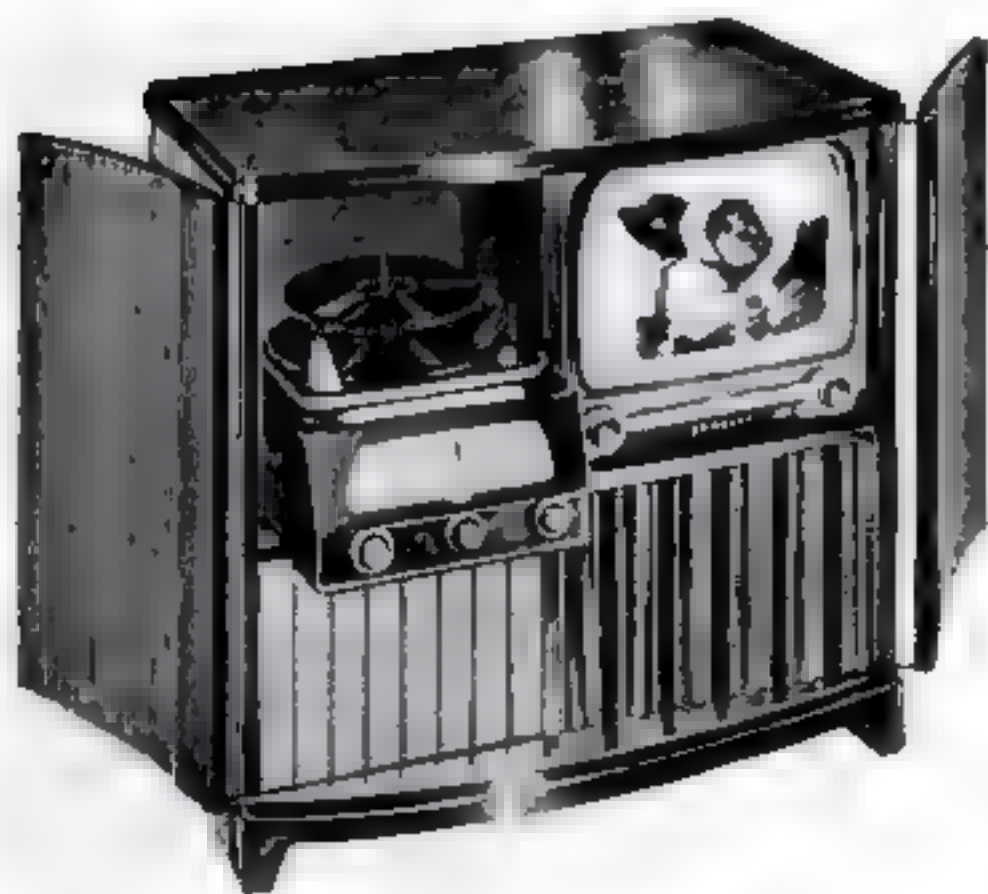
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malnutrition due to poor pay; we do not... teach methods without content; so far as I know everyone connected with the institution has heard of Harper's and the Atlantic Monthly... The article did not anger me, it merely astonished me.

JAMES MORELAND  
Professor of English

State Teachers College  
Oswego, N.Y.

Sirs:

As a professor in what I like to think is a good teachers' college, I must say what Sperry wrote has also been observed, and worried about, by many teachers' college faculty members and administrators.

(NAME WITHHELD)

New Britain, Conn.

Sirs:

Thank you for bringing out the shortcomings of the teachers' colleges. I have had first-hand experience with them. I am a graduate of Radcliffe College, where I majored in literature, learned to speak two languages and at least made myself familiar with the rudiments of philosophy, music and psychology. Also I am a high-honor graduate of a business school in Boston.

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(NAME WITHHELD)

Watertown, Mass.

## GULF PARK

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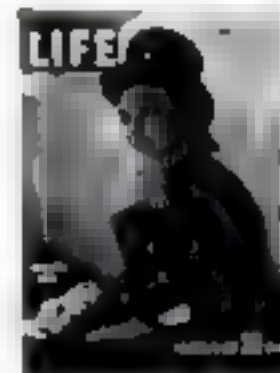
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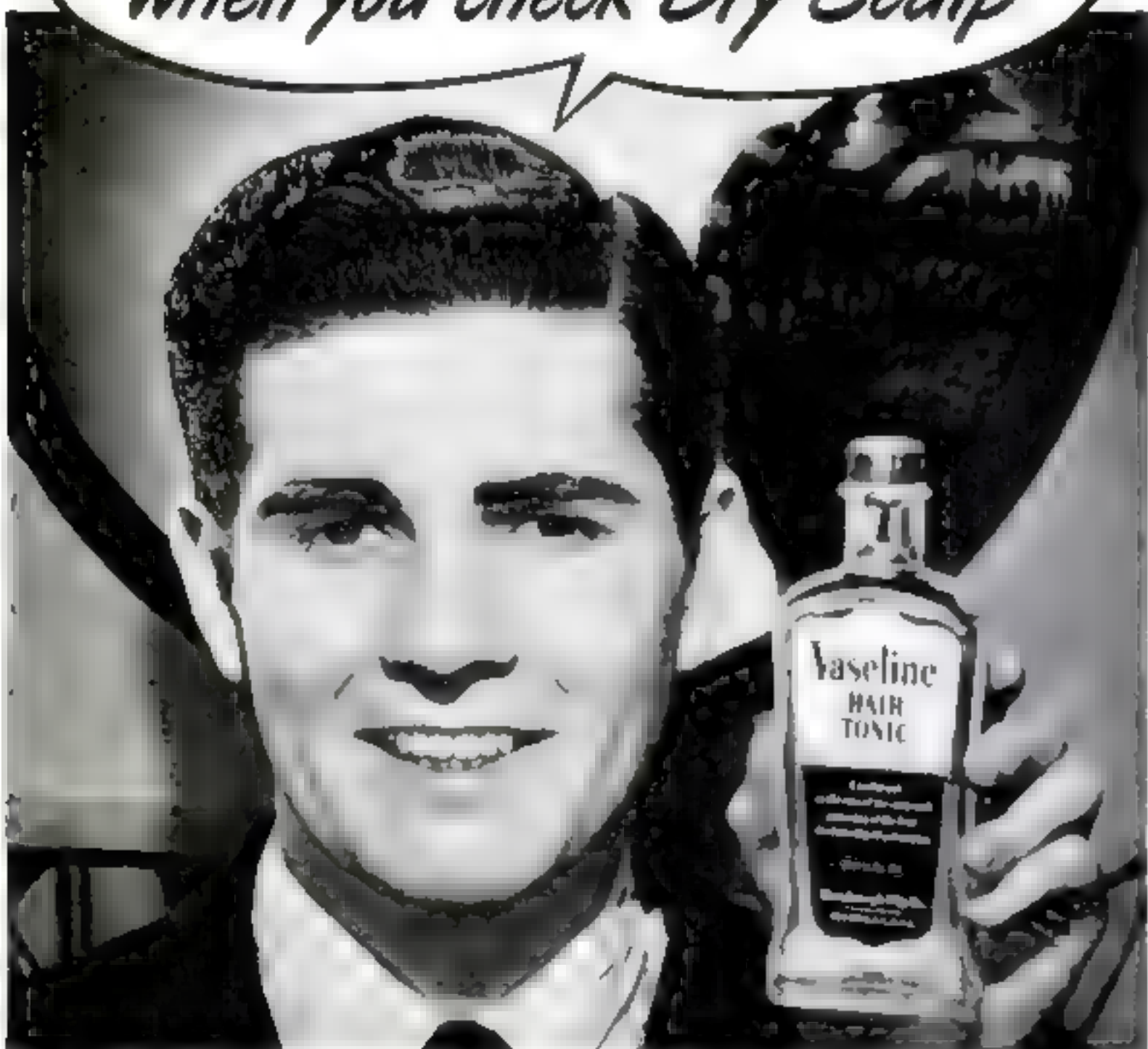


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(NAMES WITHHELD)

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Providence, R.I.

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ESTELLE HAGEDORN

Philadelphia, Pa.

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DICK PORTER, '53

Williams College  
Williamston, Mass.

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Board of Education  
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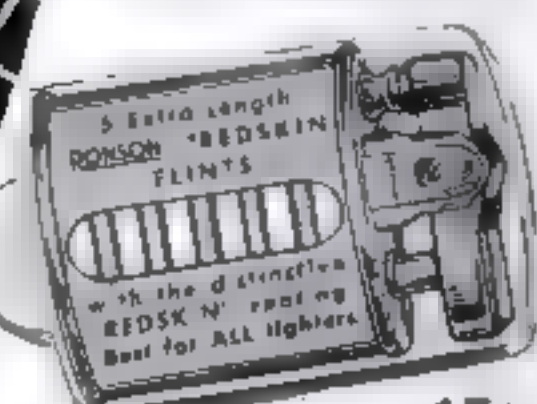
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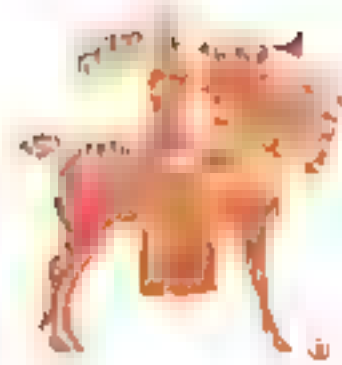




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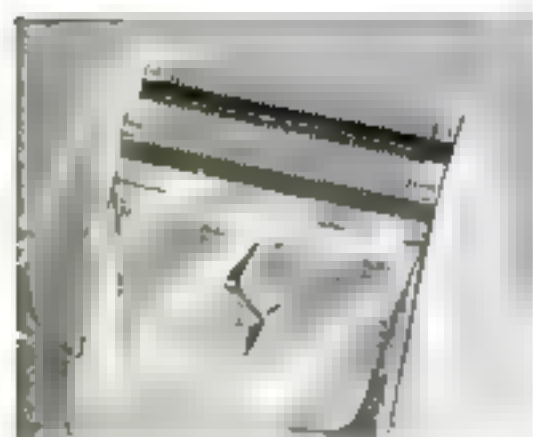
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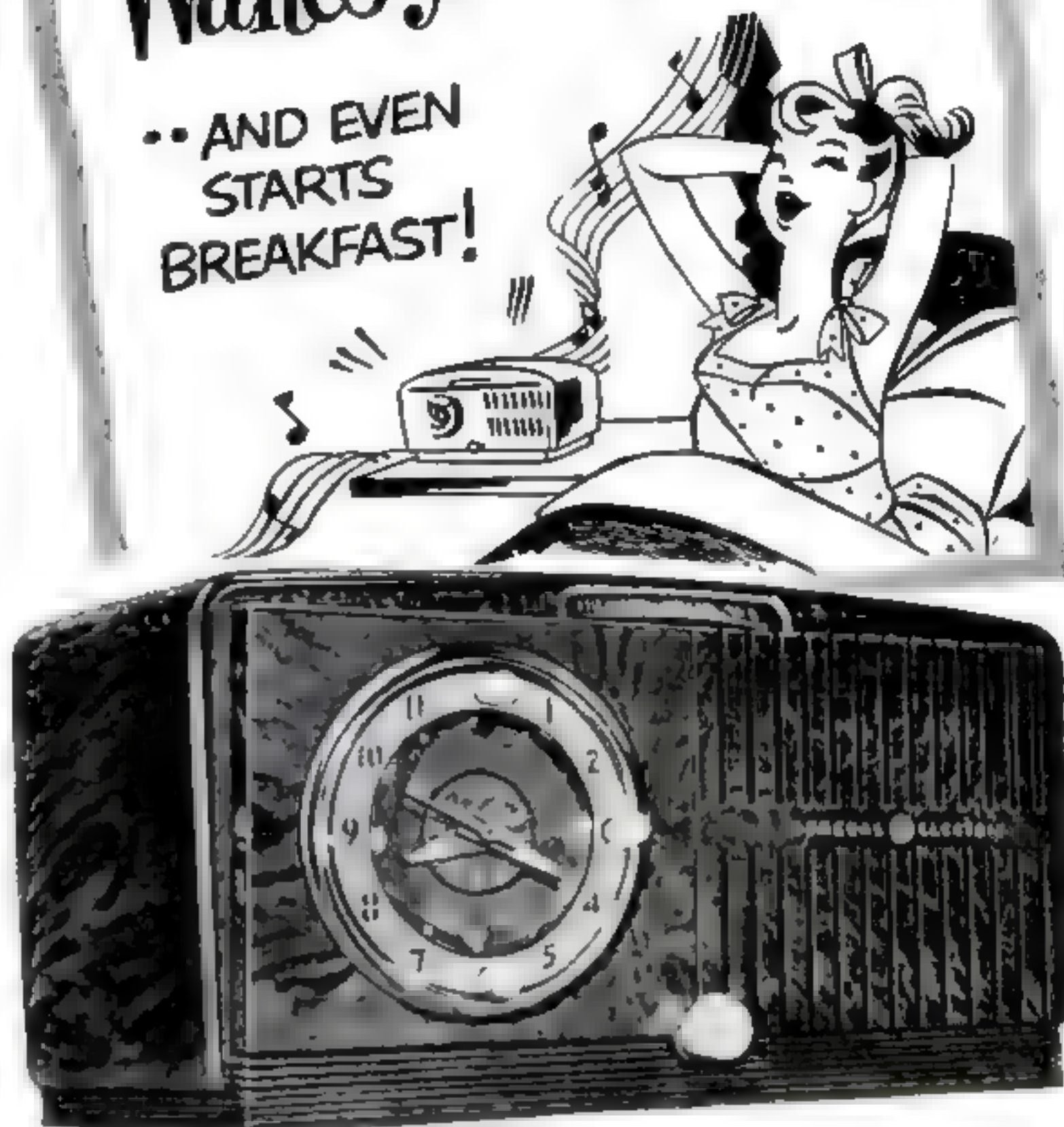
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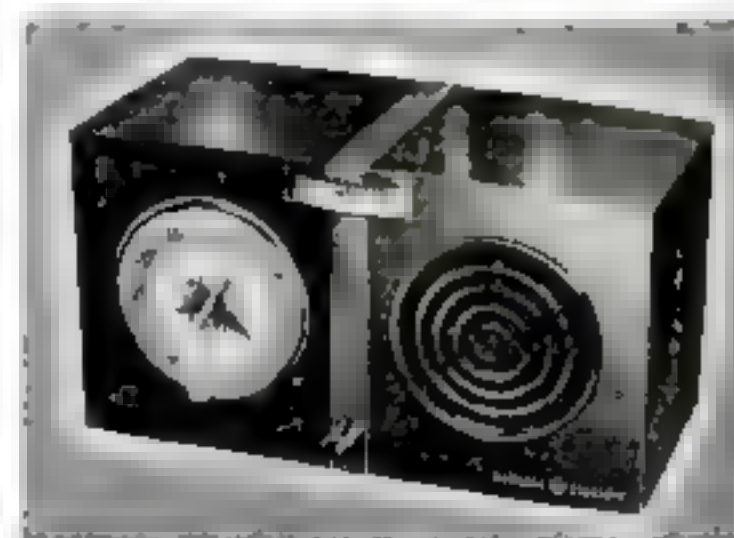
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TENNIEL'S ALICE, drawn by book's illustrator, was modeled by girl named Mary Hilton Badcock.



## SPEAKING OF PICTURES . . .

Some fine photographs by the author of "Alice in Wonderland" are rediscovered

When he was not busy lecturing on mathematics at Oxford or writing his books, Lewis Carroll practiced his favorite hobby—photography. His charming pictures currently appear both in a Museum of Modern Art exhibit in New York and in a new book, *Lewis Carroll, Photographer* (Chanticleer Press, \$4), by Helmut Gernsheim. Carroll became interested in picture-taking in 1855, a decade before he wrote *Alice in Wonderland*. Photography was becoming the rage all over England and even Victoria had a darkroom in Windsor Castle. In spite of the fact that equipment was cumbersome and processing required great care, Carroll developed his pictures himself and did much of his printing. His studio was a special photographer's "glass house" on the roof of his Oxford home. Portraiture was his field and his favorite subjects were little girls. One, Alice Liddell (left), was the inspiration for her immortal namesake—but she was not the girl Sir John Tenniel had in mind when he made his drawings for the book.

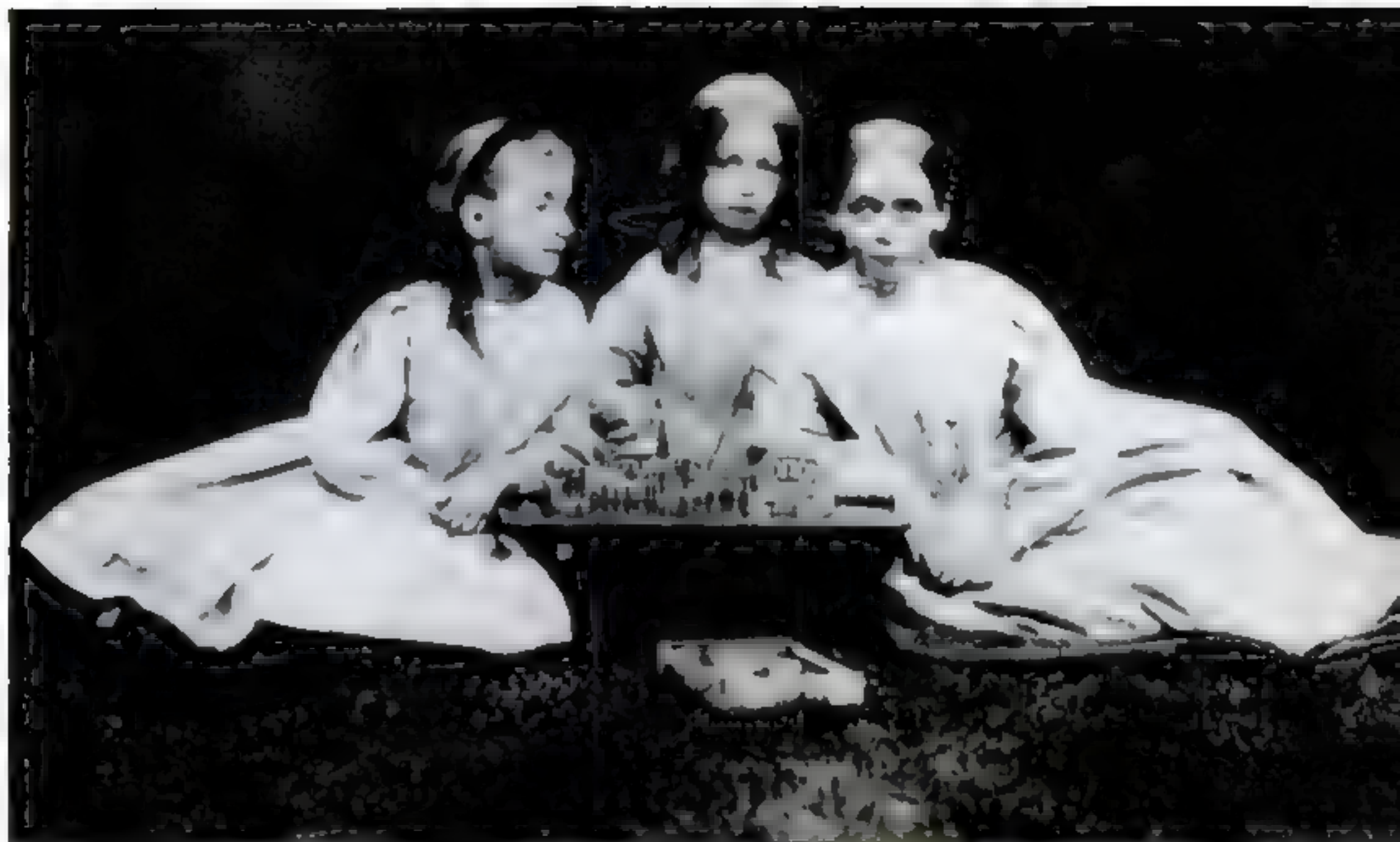


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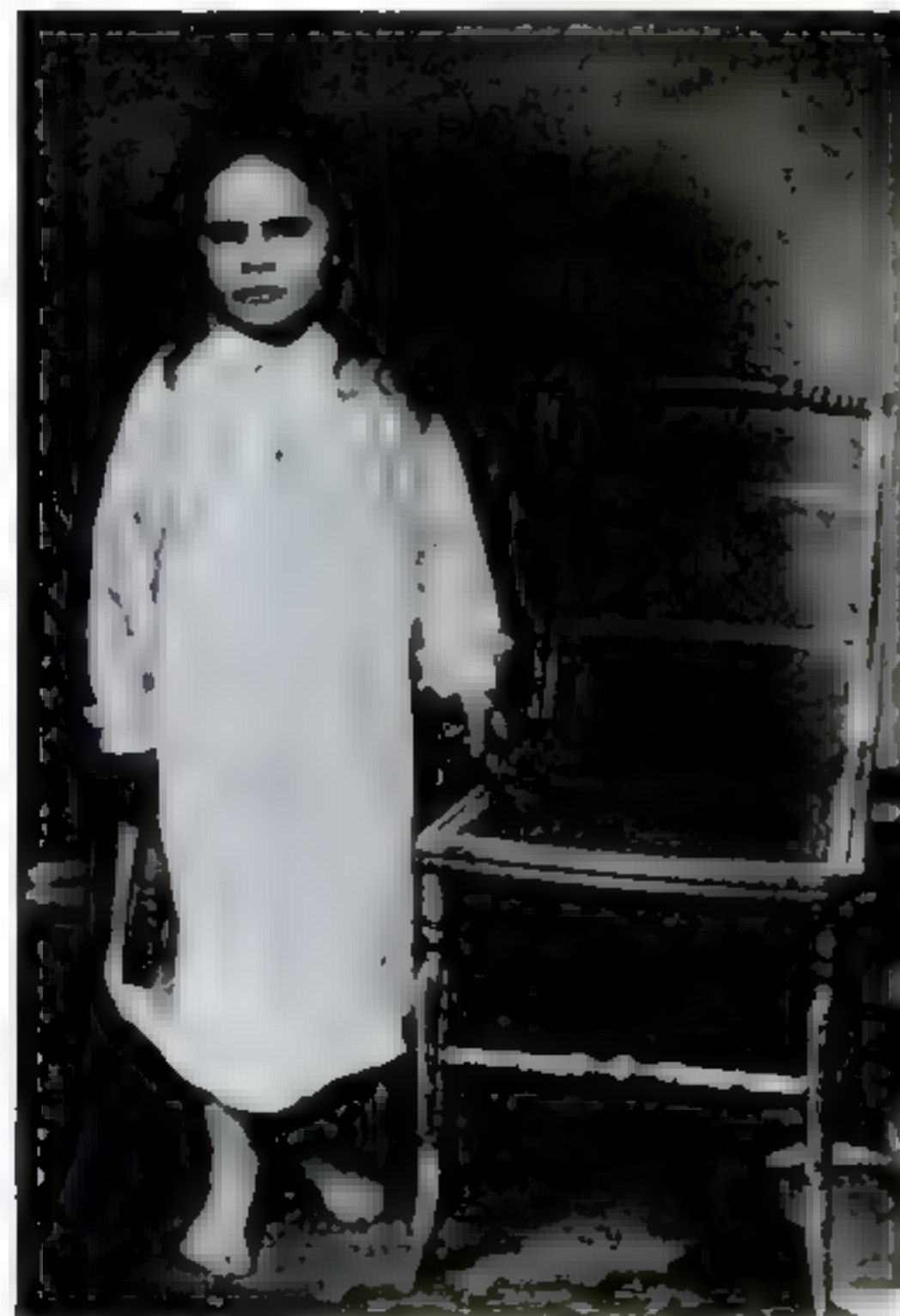
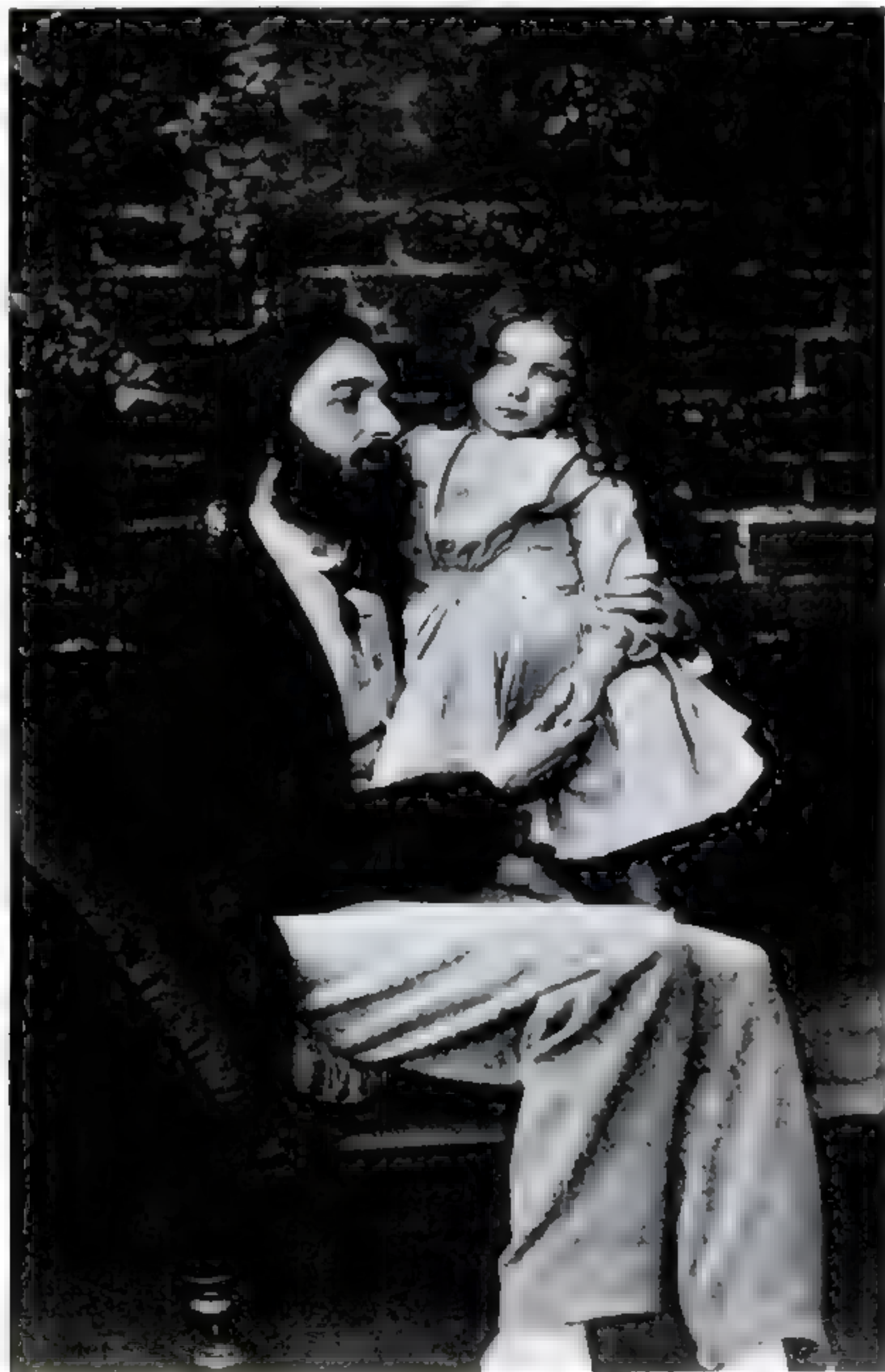




**LITTLE BOY**, taken at Lambeth Palace, was Ivo Bligh, the son of Lord Darnley. Carroll disliked boys and photographed them only if they looked like girls.



**GROUP PORTRAIT** of three girls was made at Croft Rectory, in Yorkshire. To achieve this dark background two of the photographer's friends held a blanket behind subjects.



**"IT WON'T COME SMOOTH"** was Carroll's title for this picture of a little girl grown weary of brushing her hair. She is daughter of George Macdonald, Scottish author and poet.

**FATHER AND CHILD** who sat for Carroll were Arthur Hughes, a painter, and his daughter Agnes. To get children to pose for him, Carroll often had to photograph their parents.



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LEWIS CARROLL CONTINUED



**LEWIS CARROLL**, holding lens, sits for portrait by Rejlander, one of the great professionals of the day. Strangely, he did not like to be photographed.

## HIS EQUIPMENT INCLUDED SPECIAL TENTS AND TOYS

In 1855 Lewis Carroll, whose real name was Charles Lutwidge Dodgson, became a master and tutor at Oxford's Christ Church. On his salary of £300 a year he could now afford much of the expensive equipment he needed for his new hobby. "It is my one recreation and I think it should be done well," he remarked in his diary. In those early days the collodion, or "wet plate," process was the one in greatest use. It presented many difficulties. A plate had to be prepared and coated just before each exposure, then had to be exposed and developed while it was still wet. When Carroll visited friends he was going to photograph, his camera, chemicals and other equipment, including a special tent rigged up as a portable darkroom, often had to be sent ahead by rail. "But much more exciting than being photographed was being allowed to go into the darkroom and watch him develop the large glass plates," Alice Liddell told her son many years later. As valuable as anything in his store of equipment were the dolls and toys which cluttered his studio at Oxford, kept to amuse his young subjects.

Although he was often painfully shy in the company of adults, Carroll did photograph many distinguished grownups, Lord Tennyson among others. And though he was one of the best portraitists of his day, he occasionally made bad pictures. In 1857 he wrote a lament on the difficulties of photography, a parody on Longfellow entitled *Hia-watha's Photographing*. Part of the poem goes as follows:

All the while that she was sitting,  
Still the lady chattered, chattered,  
Like a monkey in the forest.  
"Am I sitting still?" she asked him.  
"Is my face enough in profile?  
Shall I hold the bouquet higher?  
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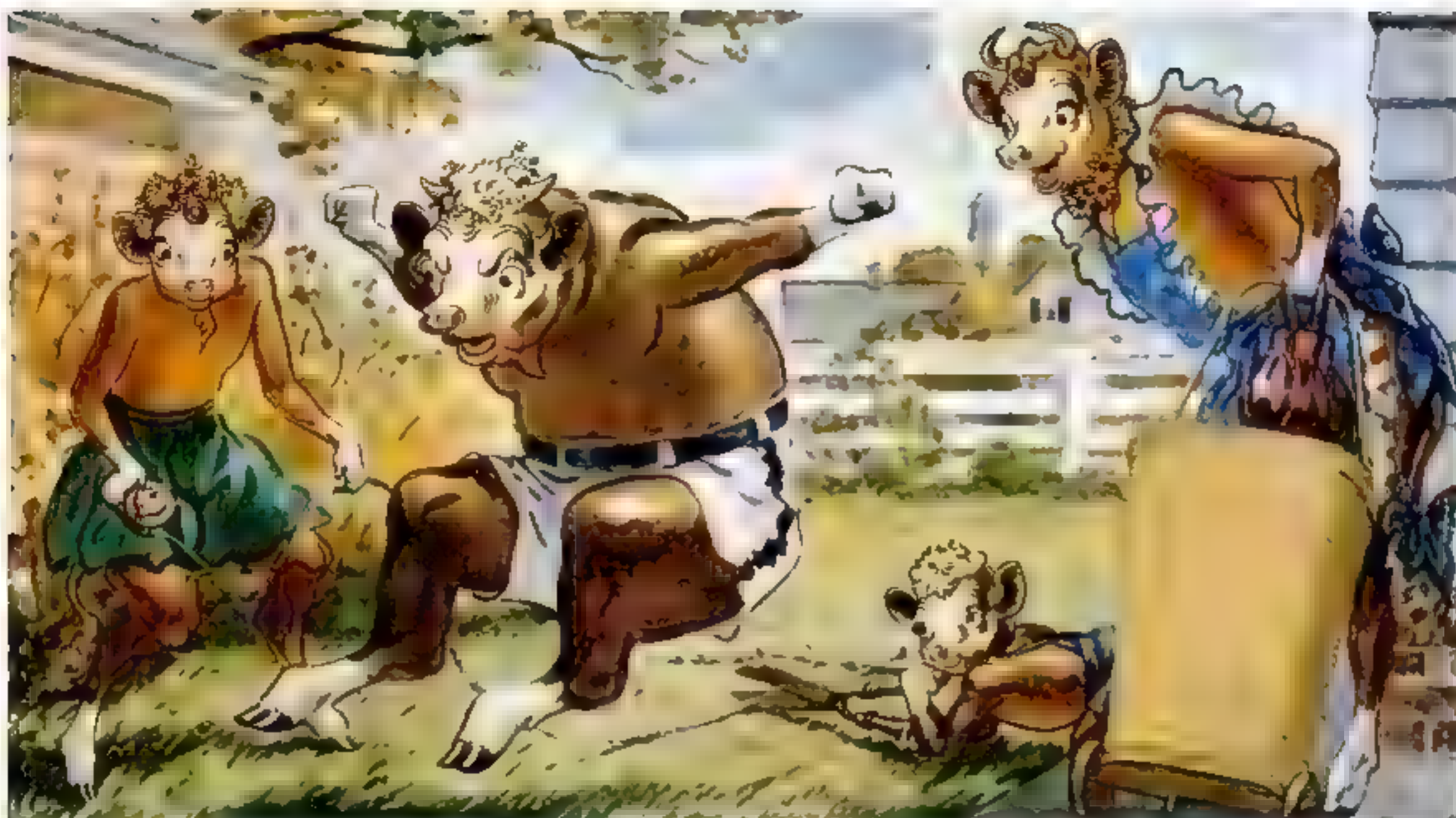
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“And when I was a girl,” smiled Elsie, “I won more dancing prizes than I could count. But I don’t go around giving folks the impression that I’m anything but what I am.”

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“The *exceptionally fine foods* I sell,” answered Elsie. “*Borden’s None Such Mince Meat*, for one. It’s the fruitiest, tastiest, most exciting mince meat that ever went into a pie.

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“Frankly,” applauded Elmer, “that’s not bad.”

“Frankly,” chirped Elsie, “*if it’s Borden’s, it’s GOT to be good!*”

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### LIFE'S COVER

One of the youngest entrants in this week's National Horse Show is 14-year-old Cary Latimer. Cary first got on a horse at 3 on her grandfather's farm in Cartersville, Ga., has since acquired more than 100 ribbons and 25 trophies, as well as nine brood mares, 18 colts and three show horses of her own. In her New York debut she will ride in a hunter class on one of Liz Whitney Person's horses and in a three-gaited class on one of her own. On the cover she wears the habit which show traditions insist must be worn for a three-gaited class in the evening. On page 62 she shows other clothes she wears in show.

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AT ANADARKO, OKLA. THE G.O.P. SENATE CANDIDATE, THE REV. BILL ALEXANDER, WOOS A BIG VOTING BLOC BY LETTING AN INDIAN BABY PULL HIS HAIR

## THE HOME STRETCH

### CANDIDATES STRAIN FOR EVERY VOTE AS TRUMAN RECORD GOES TO PEOPLE

On the eve of Nov. 7, the payoff date in that uniquely American institution, the off-year election, politicians showed they had learned something from the great surprise of 1948. Never had they courted the notorious "silent voter" so anxiously. In Oklahoma, Republican Senatorial Candidate Bill Alexander (*above*) was busy winning the approval of squaws by admiring their papooses. And in Illinois Democratic Senator Scott Lucas strove to convert farmers by opposing the Brannan Plan, which started

out as a Democratic cure-all for agriculture.

The 1950 issues had changed with the seasons. Last spring Senator McCarthy's charges of State Department Communism stoked the fires of public opinion. Then came Korea, and the Republicans dropped the Communist issue to howl for the scalps of Acheson and Johnson. Truman fired Johnson, the Korean war was won, and Democrats were glad to take credit.

Nonetheless it was fairly clear what U.S. voters had to vote for—or against. The issues were

dinned into them in Ohio and Colorado, where two of the G.O.P.'s top Senate brass were fighting for their lives: 1) is the Fair Deal good for the U.S.? and 2) is the Truman Administration hard-boiled enough to follow through on the nation's foreign policy? But after 1948 nobody—even the party spokesmen—seemed eager to get out on a limb concerning the result. One exception was Harry Truman, who made a reputation as a formidable though biased forecaster in 1948. His prediction: a Democratic landslide.





MONRONEY DROPS BY RIG TO VISIT DRILLERS

**OKLAHOMA** In a dry state tongues clucked over an attack on Democratic Senatorial Candidate Mike Monroney (above). Supporters of his opponent, the Rev. Bill Alexander, circulated a description of the fancy cocktail glasses in Monroney's home. Monroney ignored the issue.

## BOTH PARTIES MAKE CONSERVATIVE FORECASTS



### DEMOCRATIC FORECAST

- SEAT PARTY EXPECTS TO RETAIN
- ▨ SEAT PARTY EXPECTS TO GAIN
- ? SEAT WHERE ISSUE IS IN DOUBT

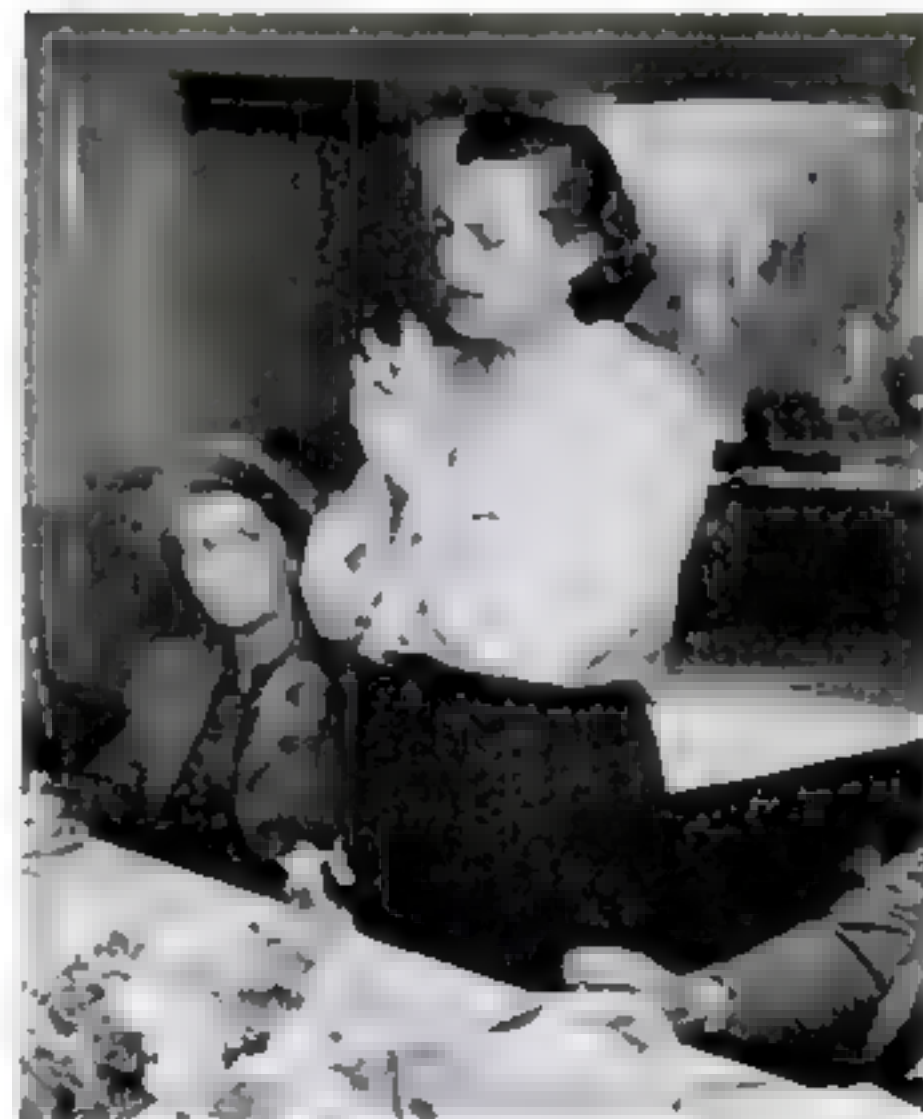
To win control of the 82nd Congress the Republicans must make a net gain of seven seats in the Senate and 46 in the House. The Republicans would be delighted just to take the Senate. But the map shown at right, based on their own unofficial calculations, shows the Republicans are not banking on a landslide. The Democrats, whose Senate forecast is shown at left, naturally hope to increase their majority.

But the election or defeat of candidates identified with Truman will affect the next Congress as much as the statistics on party membership. If the Republicans defeat Democratic Senate Whip Francis Myers in Pennsylvania (as seems



NIXON CLAPS HANDS IN PRAYERFUL ATTITUDE

**CALIFORNIA** The Republican senatorial nominee, Representative Richard Nixon, is anti Fair Deal. The Democratic nominee, Representative Helen Gahagan Douglas, is pro-Fair Deal, and the issue was that simple. Nixon, who dug up much of the evidence in the Alger Hiss



MRS. DOUGLAS UNWITTINGLY MOCKS OPPONENT

case, hammered away in every speech at Communism in the government; that was what his audiences liked to hear. Mrs. Douglas retorted, "The way to fight Communism is to make democracy work," and charged the Republicans—and Nixon—with moral bankruptcy. But Nixon remained the favorite.



DIRKSEN DECRIES THE PASSING OF NICKEL COKE

**ILLINOIS** The Administration was putting its biggest push behind Senate Majority Leader Scott Lucas. His job had kept him in Washington and he had a lot of time to make up. For two years Everett Dirksen, former congressman, has been campaigning against him, belaboring the Fair



AND TRIES TO CHEER UP SOME AGING VOTERS

Deal for pushing inflation, socialism and a wrong-headed foreign policy. "To be wrong is a career," he cracks, "especially in the State Department"—and has drawn blood with his attack. In addition to opposing the Administration's farm policy, unpopular with Illinois' prosperous farmers, Lucas also voted



# AND A SURE-THING CONTEST IS HARD TO FIND

probable) and Majority Leader Scott Lucas in Illinois (which seems less likely) they will give the Administration a bloody nose. The unexpected defeat of Senator Herbert Lehman in New York would be another defeat for Truman. So would the re-election of Republican Bourke Hickenlooper, the favorite in Iowa.

A lot worse could happen to the Republicans. They could lose two of their most intelligent conservative leaders. In Colorado, Eugene Millikin was having a hard time getting re-elected, while in Ohio, Robert Taft was fighting a hard but apparently successful battle against the Fair Deal. It was a good time to hedge all bets.



FAIRCHILD GREET'S 7 A.M. SHIFT AT PLANT DOOR



WILEY GREET'S COUNTY CRIME INVESTIGATOR

**WISCONSIN** Alexander Wiley's lifetime devotion to his state's dairy farmers had once seemed to assure him a lifetime hold on his seat in the Senate. But this year, like many another "in," he was running scared, enlisting his fellow senator, Joe McCarthy, to drum up

the Communist issue and help fight off the challenge of a young newcomer to national politics. The challenger is Tom Fairchild, state attorney general, a La-Follette Progressive turned Fair Dealer, who was making a shrewd appeal to the state's mugwump tradition with his slogan: "Vote for Men, Not Parties!"



IN WHEATON, LUCAS ENDS SPEECH BY READING LETTER WRITTEN BY SERVICEMAN KILLED IN KOREA

to override the President's veto of the anti-Communist security law. Sure that the Chicago machine, even without its late Boss Kelly (pp. 40, 41), would give him a big majority, he went after the Republican farmers. The Democrats, he insisted, were responsible for their prosperity. "I don't know what the

welfare state is," he declared, "but it's better than the farewell state we had under Hoover." He made headway with his farm arguments—and with foreign policy arguments too, charging that Dirksen, a one-time isolationist who later saw the light, has backslid and is now preaching the Chicago Tribune line.



HENNINGS WAVES ARM AT LISTLESS AUDIENCE



DONNELL IS FLANKED BY FLAG AND HIS WIFE

**MISSOURI** The presence of two C.O.P. senators from Missouri has long galled President Truman. Even though Tom Hennings (top) was not Truman's choice—he beat a Truman favorite in the primary—Hennings had a chance to unseat unpredictable Republican Forrest Donnell.





**AT TAMMANY MEETING** Boss Carmine DeSapio (seated, left) listens as Democratic Mayoralty Candidate Pecora delivers a pep talk to women leaders.

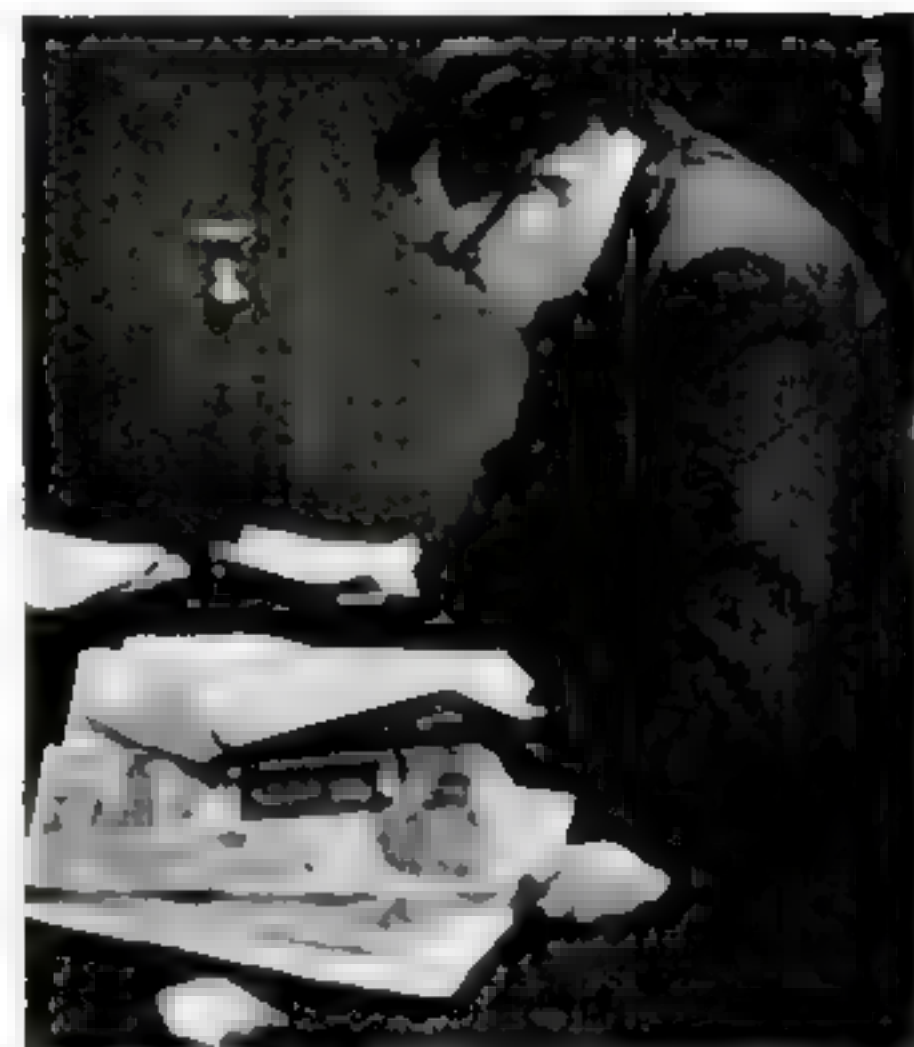


**AT CITY PRISON** men picked up after Impellitteri ordered arrest of "known hoodlums" leave wagon. Arrests caught no underworld big shots, only small fry.



**AT REPUBLICAN RALLY** Candidate Corsi, who can win only if Pecora and Impellitteri split evenly, beams as his maid, Virgie Clark, exhorts a street crowd.

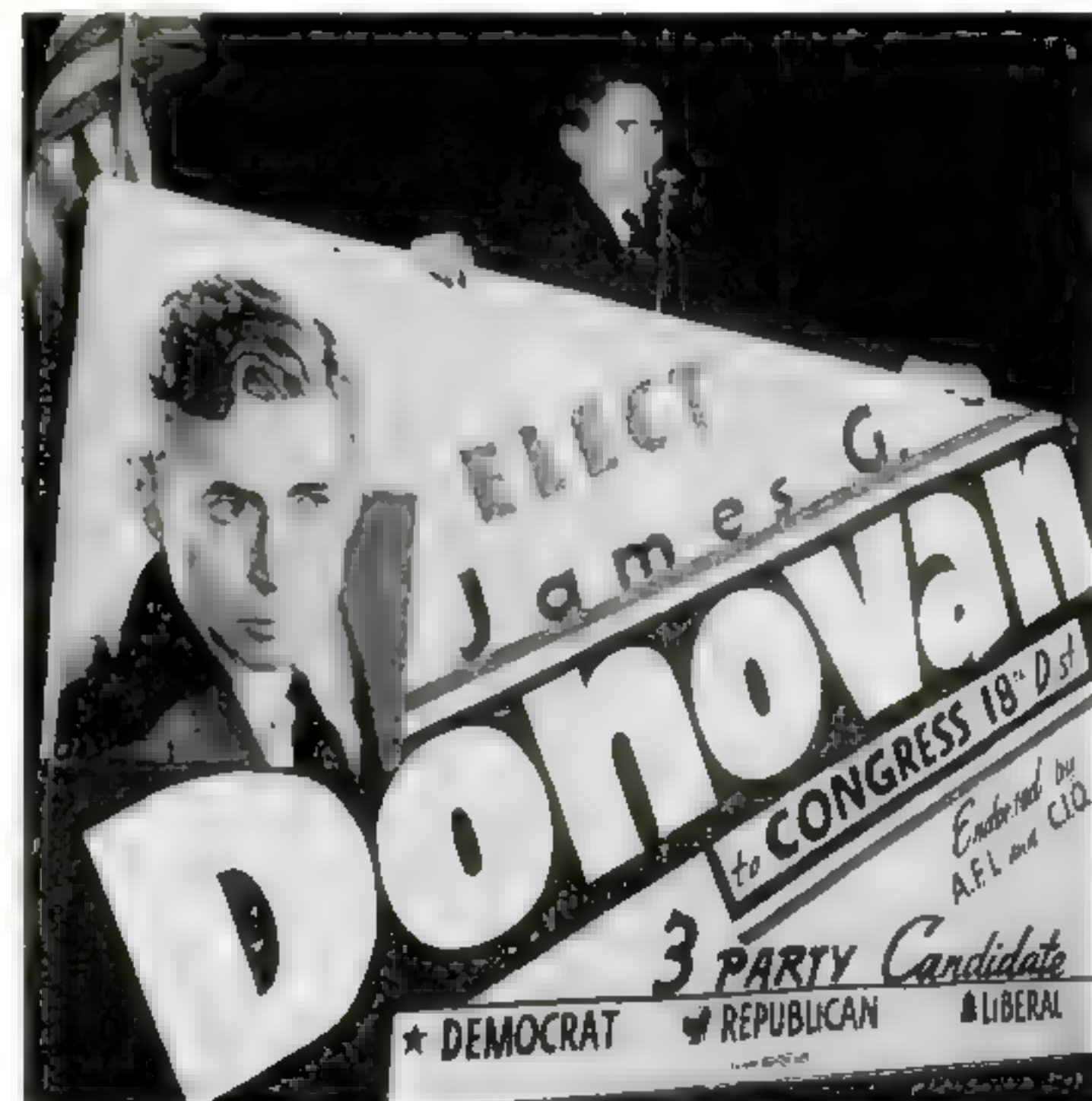
## The Home Stretch CONTINUED



**MARCANTONIO** scans speech in Madison Square Garden dressing room before his appearance at rally.

## "IMPY" IS NEW YORK SURPRISE

In New York City, which has a larger population than all but three states; the campaign was the best show since the late Mayor LaGuardia ran burlesque out of town. On one issue three major parties—Republican, Democratic and Liberal—were agreed. They backed James Donovan (below) in New York's polyglot 18th District to beat the A.L.P.'s Vito Marcantonio (above), whose congressional speeches follow the Communist line right out the window. But the big fireworks were going off in the mayoralty race. Vincent Impellitteri, who became acting mayor when William O'Dwyer resigned, wanted the \$40,000-a-year job for keeps and was conducting an amazing campaign on the "Experience Party" ticket. He was backed by four ex-Tammanyites anxious to take city patronage from Tammany Chief Carmine DeSapio, who was backing Democratic-Liberal Candidate Ferdinand Pecora. Last week the once cocksure Democrats were scared to death of "Impy," who had made the most of a large personal following and corruption in New York's police department (*LIFE*, Oct. 9). A New York *Daily News* poll gave him more votes than Pecora and Republican Edward Corsi put together. To forestall election day "persuasion," Impellitteri ordered his new police commissioner, Tom Murphy, to round up all vagrants.



**MARCANTONIO'S OPPONENT**, James Donovan, in hearing distance of an A.L.P. clubhouse, blasts rival as Moscow agent. Last week he was favored to win.

**AT HARLEM THEATER OPENING IMPELLITTERI FLASHES BEST CAMPAIGN GRIN** →







# ACT OF FAITH

## A WAR WE APPROVE OF

The insurance people have now established that married women live longer than spinsters—which makes it unanimous, because it has been known for a long time that married men live longer than bachelors. We consider this the final answer to James Thurber, an unchivalrous and unromantic author who believes that the genders are annihilating one another in what he calls "The War between Men and Women." Can't be much of a fight, if the warriors live longer than the water boys.

## YOU CAN GET TIRED OF ANYTHING

A Miss Gussie Moran has just started her professional tennis career—and has started it very ineptly by the standards of the purists who believe that a tennis player is supposed to be able to play tennis. Miss Moran, as you probably know, is not nearly so famous for her forehand as for what hangs on her clothesline. There was a time, we suppose, when all of us were momentarily delighted that Miss Moran had introduced lingerie to Wimbledon—not so much for the sake of the lingerie as for the effect on Wimbledon's rather frozen face. But the device has gone through so many repetitions, involving everything from lace to leopard spots, that we now feel about Miss Moran as we do about a shop window which booby-traps the way between our office and the subway. We personally have never been able to pass the window, which seems to be composed entirely of nylon and the foam from champagne, without staring straight down at the sidewalk pavement. Apparently everybody feels the same way, because the only people we ever saw pressing faces against the windowpane were two young sailors who cannot have been more than 15 minutes into their first shore leave. If you can really play the game, Gussie, you will have to prove it to us in flannels. Enough of this modeling. Tennis, anyone?

Partly because we were much too starry at the start, most of us have been writing off the United Nations as just another noble experiment. But the U.N. is far from dead and indeed—as the *New York Times's* capable Anne O'Hare McCormick observed in a speech last week on the fifth U.N. birthday—may have "just begun to live."

The big thing right now at U.N. is that the U.S., Britain, France and a majority of all the other nations are putting through a plan which will enable a U.N. police force to act against aggression, as it did in Korea, over the objections of any single U.N. member. The police force will be at the command of the 60-nation General Assembly, where a two-thirds majority rules and no veto is permitted, in any case where the Security Council fails to agree. In a way this is just a slick political trick, such as might have been dreamed up by a bright Chicago ward heeler, to get around the veto provisions which are implicit in the U.N. charter and have been used by Russia *ad nauseam* in the Security

Council. But in another and more important way it is a great act of faith.

Five years ago the thought of submitting to the will of the majority in a world organization was just as alien to U.S. diplomacy as to Russian. In fact every great power wanted the veto, just in case, even though none of them was so vocal about it as the Russians. Today that has changed. The U.S. is now saying that it has no ambitions to use its strength for anything except to achieve world justice, which is certainly true, that it no longer has any doubt that an overwhelming majority of nations can be trusted to vote on the same simple and decent principle—and that Korea proved there is strength in union. The Russians, who have a different idea of what power is for and what justice means, may not like it—but if the U.N. really manages to set up a world police force, Russia will have to take it. Unless everything blows up in the near future you will be hearing a lot more about the U.N., which has become a very lusty infant.

# NEWS FOR THE KIDDIES

Okay, children, so your daddy did lead a quaint and barren youth, back in the days before we had television and there was nothing on the radio except the Coon-Sanders band and a comedy team called Sam 'n' Henry. But daddy had something you haven't got. In those days it was easy to laugh, and the oldtime movie theater was a temple of joy. You have probably read about it in James Agee's article called *Comedy's Greatest Era* (*LIFE*, Sept. 5, 1949). Now you can see for yourself. The new Harold Lloyd movie, *Mad Wednesday*, reviewed on pages 85-88 of this issue, is of the stuff that daddy used to laugh at—refined, rebottled and fitted with a sound track, but of the vintage nonetheless.

There are wonderful things in *Mad Wednesday*, things that people under 30 have unfortunately been denied. There is a whole reel of the football game from Lloyd's 1925 silent movie, *The Freshman*, full of the fine, forgotten suspense about the inevitable—which, as Mr. Agee noted, was one of the tricks of the silent comedies. Lloyd, the water boy, the bench-warmer, finally gets into a game. You know, of course, that he will make the winning touchdown. But how? A forward pass falls by ridiculous accident into his arms; you relax and say, "Oh." But, no, that isn't it; he is tackled in his tracks. Through another mad and inspired accident he finds himself holding the ball again, with the road wide open to the goal line. But that isn't it either. A boy in the grandstand blows a whistle; Lloyd thinks it is the referee and slams the ball down in disgust on the two-yard line. And then at last, just when you feel sure there can be no more possible devices, the touchdown happens, so that for the moment you are caught with all your defenses down and are shattered with surprise.

It took a brave man to start with this hilarious sequence and hope to top it, but Lloyd

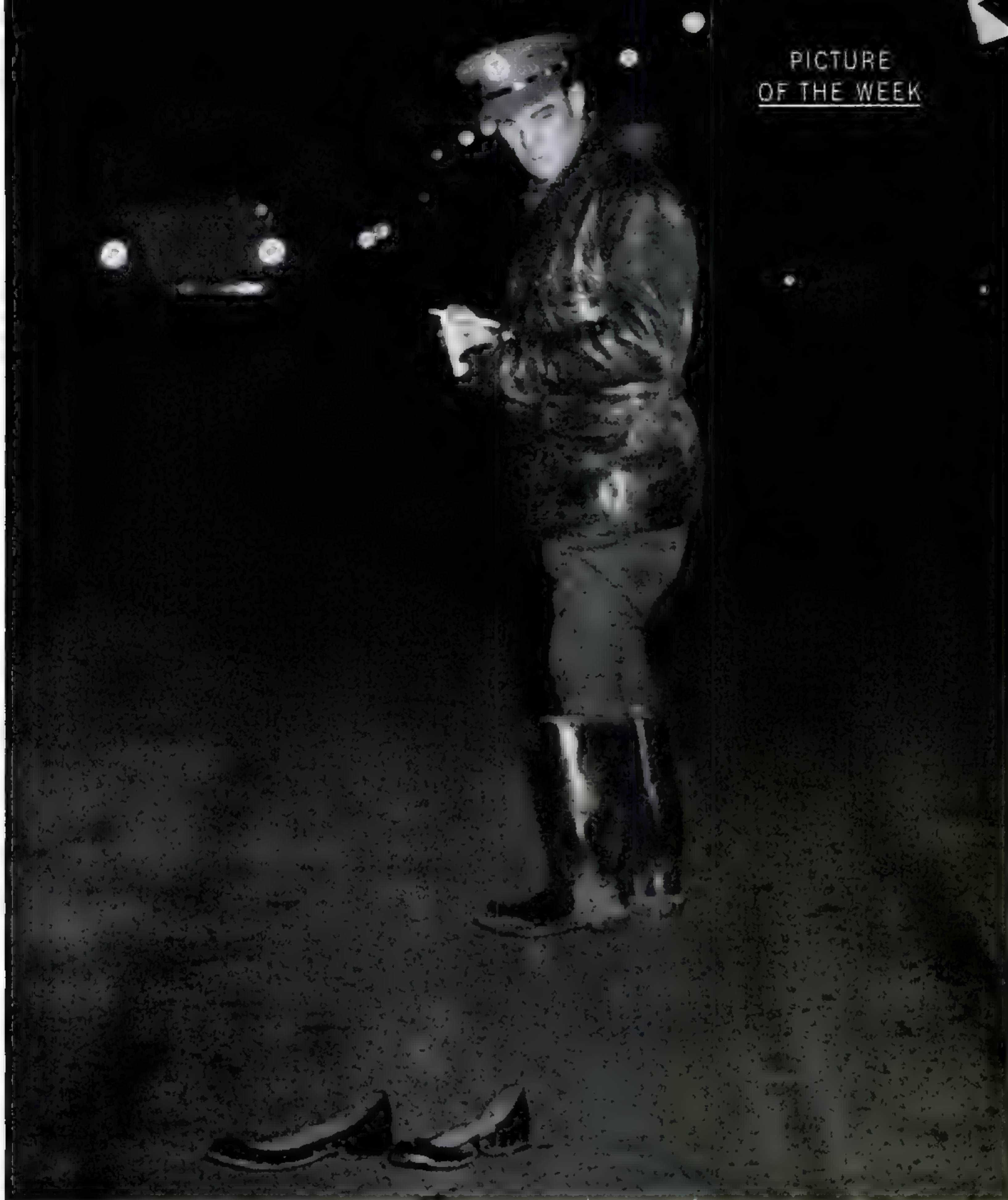
was up to it and so was his writer-director, Preston Sturges. They have brought Harold Diddlebock, the hero of the ball game, up to the kind of burned-out middle-age that is the fate of so many young comets. They have sat him down to molder on a bookkeeper's stool and then once more—with a series of rich and fantastic inventions—they have rescued him again from oblivion just as he was rescued in youth on the football field.

The film has a wonderful parody of a platitudinous boss, who is only sorry that his old man left him the business instead of giving him the privilege of starting from the bottom. There is a delightfully reprobate horse-race fan who at the start is so broke as to be reading the day before yesterday's form sheet, which he considers better than no form sheet at all. There is Actor Edgar Kennedy, the late great master of the slow burn, who died before the picture was released and more's the pity, as an unforgettable bartender so scholarly in his art that he can use the word "vestal" when concocting the first drink for an apostate teetotaler.

And at the end there is even a topper for the previous high in vertiginous comedy, which was the business of hanging from a clock that gave daddy high blood pressure when he saw the 1923 Lloyd movie called *Safety Last*. In this case Lloyd starts by chasing a lion along a skyscraper ledge, gives you absolutely all you can stand of that sort of giddiness when he winds up suspended by one foot from a chain around the lion's neck—and then in true comic tradition uses this as just the opening bars of a prolonged and breathless exercise in theme and variations.

We hope a lot of young people go to see *Mad Wednesday*, and then quit sneering at us oldsters. Life didn't begin the day before yesterday, and there were some fine things even in the '20s.





## THESE RUBBERS MARK A PEDESTRIAN'S LAST STEP

In Calgary, Alta. one night last month Jesse Porter, 70, an old-age pensioner who lived alone, was on his way home after having had dinner with some friends. It was a cold, foggy night, and on Center Street a light sleet was falling. Just as Porter stepped into the street, a delivery truck bore down on him. Because of the storm Porter did not see the truck, and the driver,

who police think must have been traveling about 60 mph, did not see him. When Traffic Constable Andy Gray arrived to make his report he looked incredulously as he saw Porter's rubbers still rooted to the road, right where their wearer had stood when he was hit. Porter's body, knocked out of the rubbers by the truck's blow, lay crumpled in the street 35 feet away.





SOCHUREK HAS CAMERA STRAPPED TO HARNESS

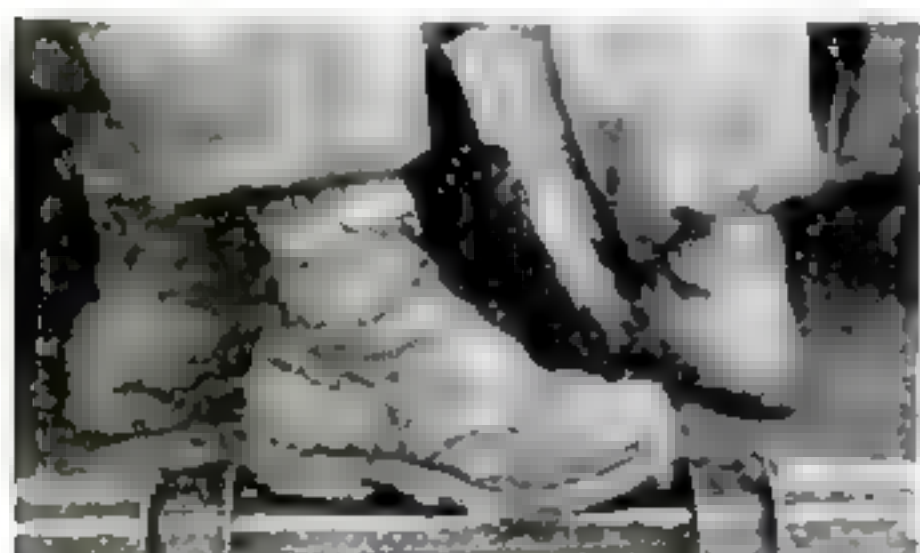
# CAMERA RECORDS A COMBAT JUMP

LIFE's Howard Sochurek describes  
paratroop drop into North Korea

With the Red army broken, there was another trick left in MacArthur's game—use of airborne troops. When they dropped Oct. 20, LIFE Photographer Sochurek jumped with them.

PICTURES AND TEXT BY HOWARD SOCHUREK

WHEN I joined the 187th Airborne Regimental Combat Team, at their bivouac area just off Kimpo airstrip, I found most of the companies were formed by a small corps of combat veterans filled in by 17- to 20-year-old newly enlisted youngsters. For the most part they had



SOME PARATROOPERS WORE REGULAR BOOTS

joined the airborne for the badge, the boots and the extra bucks. They were cocky, they were sure, but they had seen nothing of war. On Oct. 19 they got their orders: to jump in two separate drop zones about 25 miles north of Pyongyang, help the capture of the city, trap its defenders and try to rescue American PWs.

At 3 a.m. next morning I fell out into the company street. A cold and heavy rain hit us. The mood was right for the event. The road was bad, a typical Korean mud road in which we sometimes sank knee-deep. The man in front of me slipped in a posthole, came up dripping and cursing. In an hour we came on to the blacktop of Kimpo airport and saw the waiting herds of cargo cows, the Air Force's C-119s.

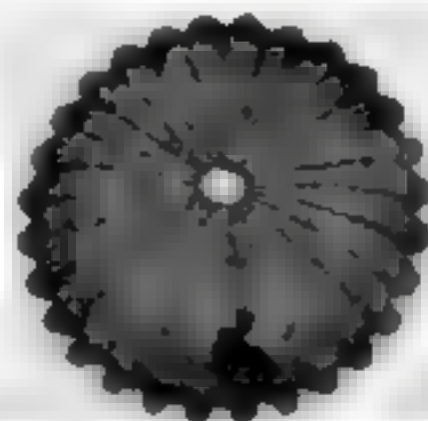
When we heard that there would be a three-hour delay caused by poor weather over Kimpo, a great feeling of ease crept over the waiting men as if they had been given a reprieve. With



IN PLANE MEN SLEEP, FIDGET OR JUST THINK

all of this time and new-found freedom I expected some deviltry to take place, but I found the men all strangely inarticulate, not wanting to speak. Most of them huddled together, some sleeping beneath the huge bellies of the cargo cows. My main concern was in placing my Japanese aerial camera in a position from which I could shoot while in the air. I had been warned that the shock as the chute exploded into bloom might cause any loose equipment to shatter my face. I sought out a rigger, a corporal wearing a little red baseball cap, who checked and double-checked my gear. Then I sat with this 130 pounds of equipment waiting for the take-off.

At noon the rain stopped, and the scud that hung above us started drifting south. We regrouped in the planes. The din on the airstrip as 80 C-119s checked their engines gave some confidence to those of us who were on our first combat jump. We flew westward to the sea, then north along the coast. Our plane held 42 men, 21 on each side. I looked over toward Major Mike Holland who was to lead the stick out



SOCHUREK PHOTOGRAPHED CHUTE ABOVE HIM

of the ship—I was to be second—and asked him what he was thinking about. "I'm thinking," he said, "of that ammo we had to leave behind so we could get this ship off the runway."

In 10 minutes we were over enemy-held territory. A youngster of 17 who sat across from me looked most surely scared to death. When I asked him, his comment was, "I got butterflies." An hour out, one of the boys got the call and everybody broke into laughter as he stood up to urinate, then passed the brimful container back toward the jump door.

Finally we got the "stand up and hook up" from Major Holland. A red light flashed on as I hooked my static line and snapped it tight.



DROPPING TO THE EARTH, SOCHUREK CAUGHT

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THE SLANTING, SWAYING SPECTACLE OF THE JUMP INTO RED TERRITORY. THE TROOPS AT UPPER RIGHT ARE JUST BAILING OUT OF THEIR FLYING BOXCARS





RIPPED PARACHUTE STILL HOLDS ENOUGH AIR FOR PIECE OF HEAVY EQUIPMENT TO DROP SAFELY

## Combat Jump CONTINUED

My body became numb, my palms moistened. At exactly 2 p.m. a green light popped on next to the red one, and I saw Holland hurtle from the door. I followed him without thinking, clutching my camera with my left hand, protecting my face with my right palm. Seconds later the opening shock of the chute jarred me. I threw my head back to see if my chute was functioning, then started shooting pictures madly. I heard the shouts of frightened North Koreans down below and the chatter of their burp guns, but they were firing wildly, for in the sector where I landed we met no enemy fire.

Fifty feet above ground I quit taking pictures and reached high on the risers of my chute. I thought of the advice that Holland had given me to relax, then to bend slightly in the knees and to keep my feet together. In the next instant I found myself breathless and on the ground. The nearest parachute that I could see was 65 feet from me, and I felt frighteningly alone. The boys in the first waves had already laid down a blinder of fire, at what I don't know. I thrashed around, got out of my harness, picked

up my cameras and ran toward an embankment to escape the heavy drop equipment of jeeps, howitzers and antitank guns scheduled to follow in 10 minutes.

We moved off the drop zone, a patrol out in front. Now and then a frightened North Korean



IRRIGATION DITCH MAKES FOR A WET LANDING

would creep from behind a stack of rice straw with hands high in the air. Groveling, most pleaded for their lives. Not all of them lived. Holland had said that his boys "like to fight." As I saw a man in civilian clothes running for his life mowed down by a BAR man, a sense of shame came over me. I heard the excited cry, "I got me a gook." A sarcastic voice, speaking for most of us, answered, "Aren't you proud?"

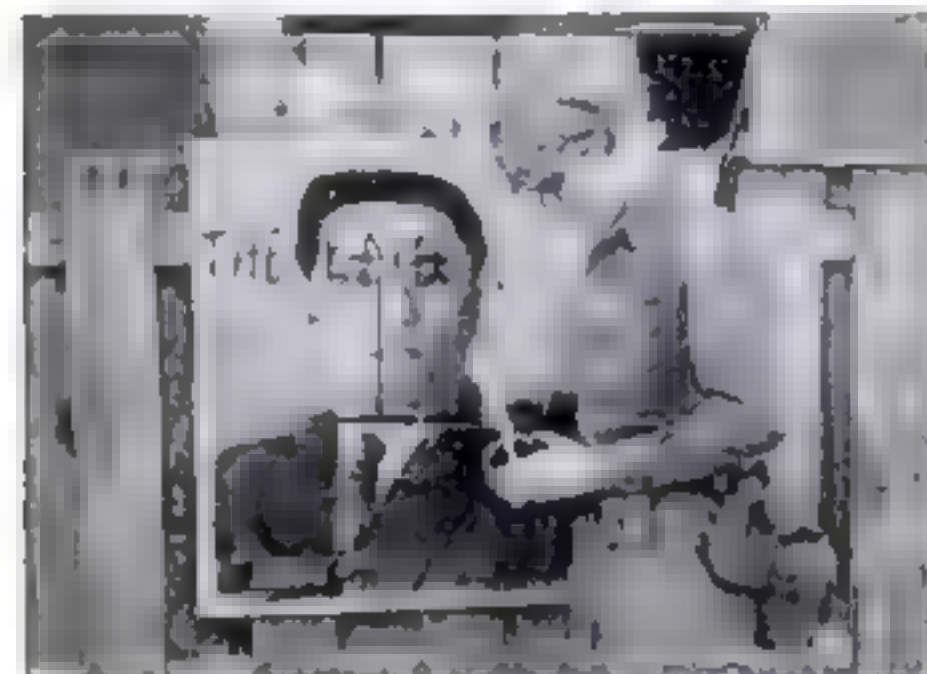
At 4:15 we reached the CP. Already ingenious CJs had latched on to native labor and I put the nearest able-bodied Korean to digging a long, deep hole. But my only protection from the cold, wet ground was a Marine poncho that Dave Duncan of LIFE had given me. I wrapped it about me and sought the security of that gravelike hole.



AFTER LANDING TROOPS CROSS RICE FIELDS

Another drop was scheduled for Saturday morning. In the drop zone I found a badly hurt lieutenant. A piece of equipment had crashed his main chute, his reserve chute had malfunctioned. He had fallen freely from 500 feet and broken his back. Of 4,064 men who were air-dropped, only 90 were listed as jump casualties.

Later I jeeped over east of Sukchon for the link-up between paratroopers and 1st Cavalry Division driving north from Pyongyang. I felt then that surely the war was close to being over as I saw this 6-mile-long tank column. In



A PARATROOPER WRITES END TO RED PREMIER

the village I found a corporal smearing the word "end" over a tattered portrait of Kim Il Sung, the North Korean premier.

But the jump was a day late for one of its important objectives—to rescue American prisoners. I met Chaplain James A. Skelton of Hannibal, Mo. after he had returned from burying 75 American prisoners. He told me how, on the night of Oct. 20, only hours after the airborne troops had jumped, the prisoners had been herded from their prison train in groups of 15, then under the pretext of being fed were led to separate areas, blindfolded and shot. Of the 75 the chaplain was able to identify only 29, and even that was difficult, for the clothing of many of the boys contained as many as three dog tags on a single person. He told of the 20 men who had escaped this murder train, how they were hardly able to stand, of a small, rock-hard cracker that had been their only ration for weeks, of their bushmanlike appearance. One of the men who survived, upon seeing Chaplain Skelton, said, "Chaplain, we are glad you are here. Let's have a prayer." With the chaplain were two men. They carried the paper-wrapped personal effects of the 75 murdered Americans, which neatly filled two GI helmets.



U.S. PRISONERS' BELONGINGS fill helmets of paratroopers who arrived too late to save them.





HALTED DURING A MARCH, ROK TROOPS ARE DIVERTED BY THE SIGHT OF TWO LAUNDRY-LADEN NORTH KOREAN GIRLS WHO HAVE TO WADE THE STREAM



ROKS CHANGE TIRE AT RED PALACE WHOSE POND IS ALSO CAMOUFLAGED

## IN THE WAKE OF WAR

### Advancing Roks take prisoners and a Red palace

As U.N. forces poured on through North Korea, jamming the roads and the primitive wooden bridges, they left behind them the faded elegance of the Red puppets and the disillusionment of a country that had been sold on a bad deal. At Pyongyang the deserted palace of the Red premier, Kim Il Sung, stood absurdly shrouded in camouflage, filled with lavish furniture and portraits of Stalin, guarded on the outside by the formidable mockery of a youth statue cast from a stereotyped Russian mold. And huddled on the plains south of the Communist capital were some 1,800 miserable North Koreans who, ordered to attack the 1st Cavalry Division during the daylight hours, surrendered during the night instead.

NEAR PYONGYANG 1,800 RED PRISONERS SIT ON A FIELD GUARDED BY AUSTRALIAN SENTRIES. WOMAN (FOREGROUND) ROLLS BANDAGES FOR THE WOUNDED







**SQUAD OF MOURNING POLITICIANS**, photographed as Daumier might have drawn them, waits to enter cathedral. In first row: Senator Paul Douglas,

Illinois Governor Adlai Stevenson, Attorney General J. Howard McGrath (representing Truman), Cook County (Chicago) Assessor John Clark. In second row:



**MUSIC CZAR** Petrillo (left) attends with Jake Arvey, Kelly's successor, and Mayor Martin Kennelly.

## FUNERAL OF A BOSS

Politicians and flowers pile up to honor Chicago's Edward J. Kelly

No doge of Venice ever had a more ceremonial burial than Chicago gave last week to Edward Joseph Kelly, 74, who rose from the slums to become the shrewdest of U.S. city bosses, a consultant of presidents and Chicago's Democratic mayor for 14 years. A cardinal gave his eulogy, President Truman sent an emissary, and a governor and a U.S. senator led a three-block line of men who had owed him personal allegiance.

When Kelly left school at the age of 12 to work, his mother had a word of advice: "Always keep neat and never drink out of someone else's beer can." In 1920, after studying engineering at night school and working his way up through ward politics, he became chief engineer of the Chicago Sanitary District with the help of Republican Publisher Robert R. McCormick. There he met Patrick Nash, a sewer contractor who did a \$100 million business with the district.

The resulting Kelly-Nash machine grew powerful after Kelly became mayor in 1933. Kelly ruthlessly took control of city patronage and brushed off critics: "To be a real mayor you've got to be the boss." Though no great shakes as a political philosopher, Kelly was a brilliant organizer. At the 1940 convention he stationed his sewer superintendent in the basement to boom "We want Roosevelt!" over the convention's loudspeaker, a trick credited with assuring Roosevelt his third-term nomination. In 1944 he persuaded delegates to ditch Wallace and nominate Truman for vice president.

In 1947 Kelly retired and gradually let his lieutenant, Jake Arvey, take over. Though he was once indicted for graft and questioned many times about his wealth, he always kept himself financially neat. No one could prove that Ed Kelly ever drank out of anyone else's beer can.

FLORAL DISPLAYS AT THE FUNERAL INCLUDE A HARP FROM PETRILLO'S MUSICIAN UNION (LEFT), WREATHS FROM JUDGES, CARPENTERS AND CHICAGO WARDS.





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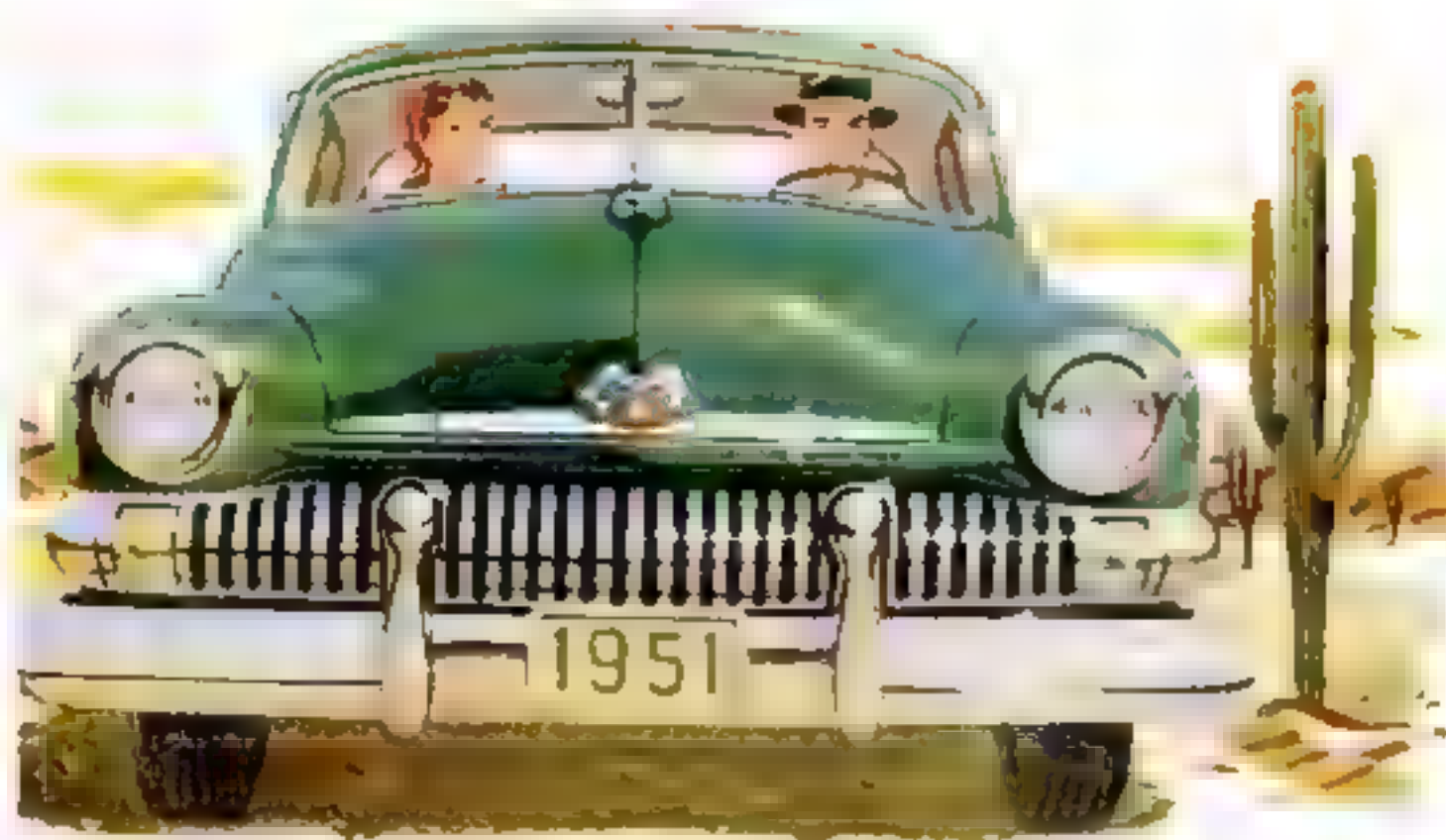
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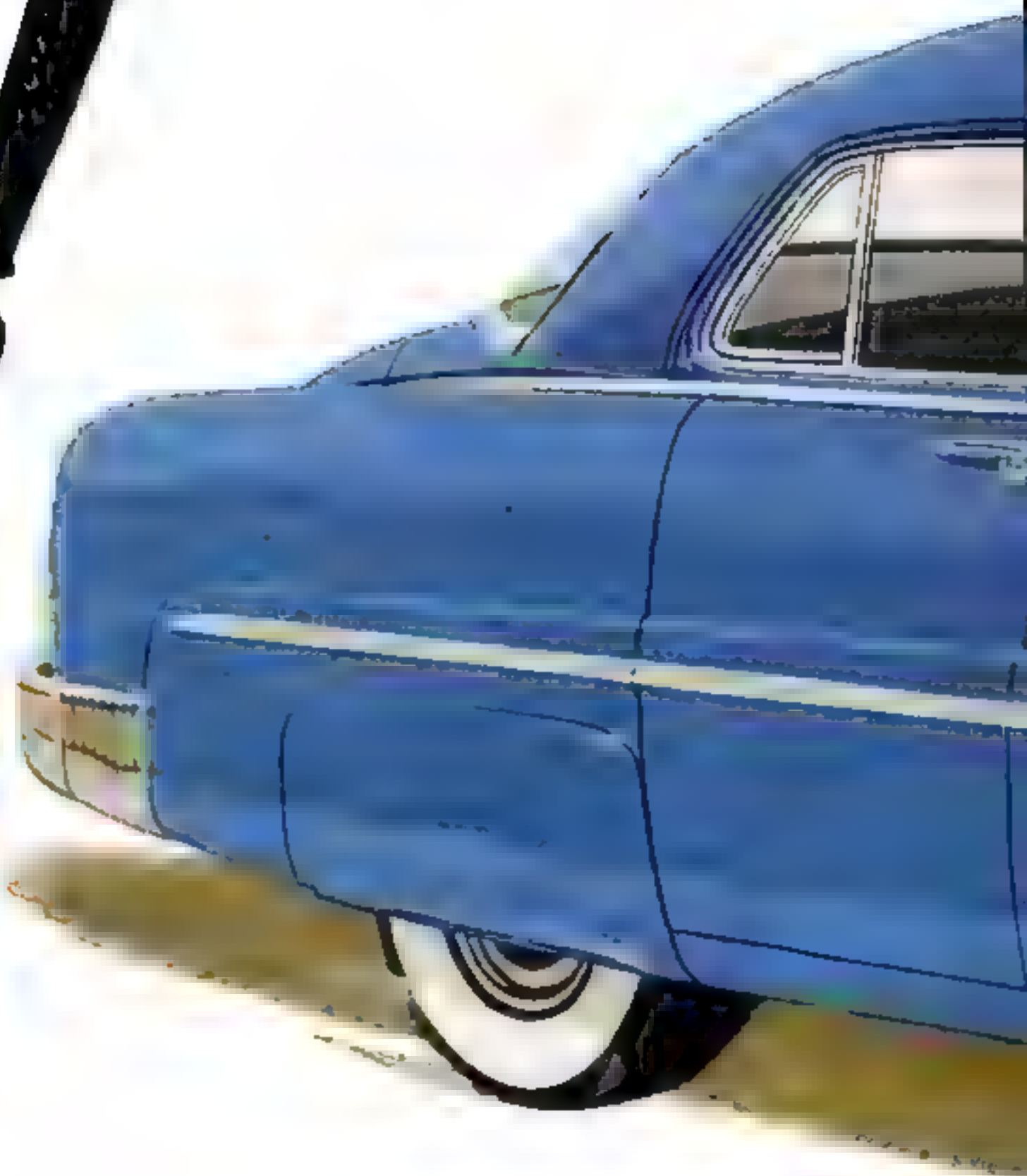
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# FREEDOM RINGS

Berliners cheer the Big Truth  
as West gives them a big bell

At dawn of a somber, chilly day the Freedom Bell arrived in Berlin. Bought by public subscription in the U.S. and presented by the National Committee for a Free Europe, it symbolized the pledge of more than 3.5 million U.S. citizens to support the committee's new propaganda effort in Europe: the Crusade for Freedom. Its installation in West Berlin's city hall inaugurated a campaign against Communism which the Crusade's leaders hoped would ultimately

be waged by radio transmitters as numerous and powerful as those of the U.S. Government's Voice of America—but considerably less hampered by diplomatic niceties.

General Lucius D. Clay, national chairman of the Crusade, was back in West Berlin to dedicate the bell. As he threw the switch which set it pealing, he voiced the free world's strong conviction to the crowds packed below, "that where men have the will to be free, they will be free."



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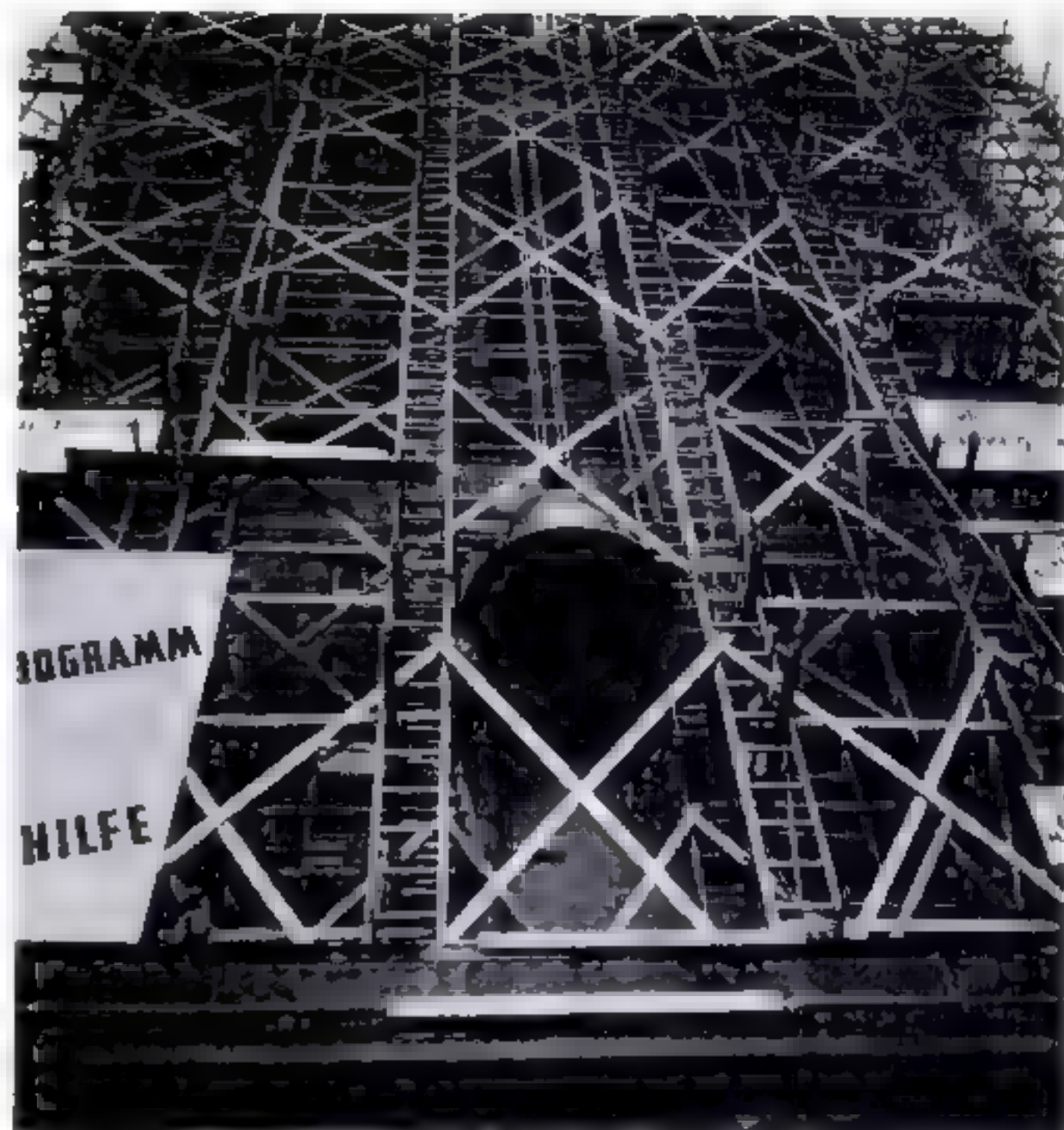
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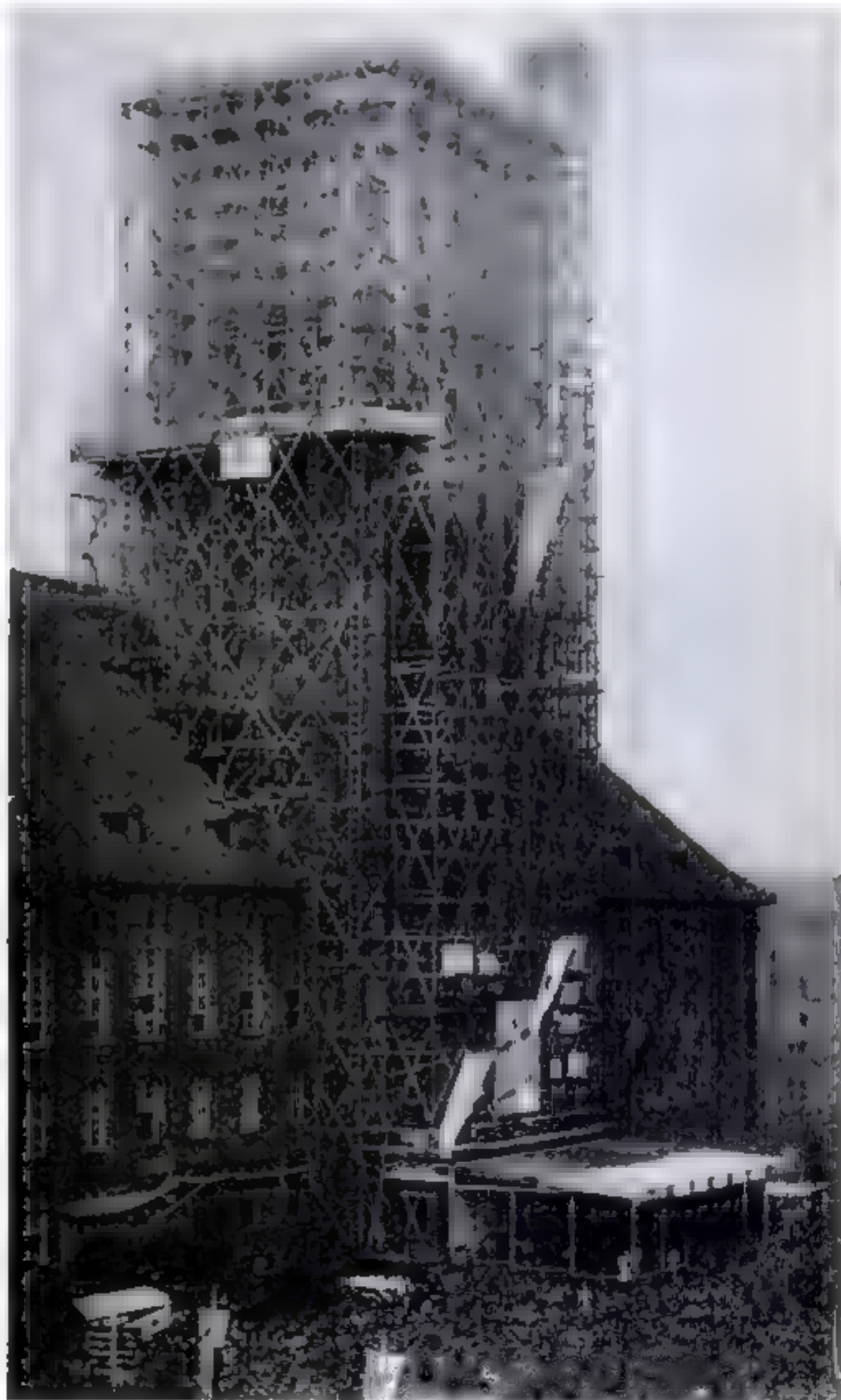
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## Freedom Bell CONTINUED



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**AS CEREMONIES BEGIN**, crowd pushes tightly around West Berlin city hall in Schöneberg, whose tower is half-hidden by scaffold. Building was taken over by West Berlin government after split which induced the 1948 blockade.

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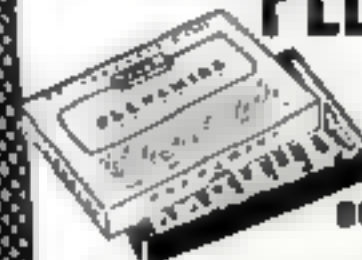
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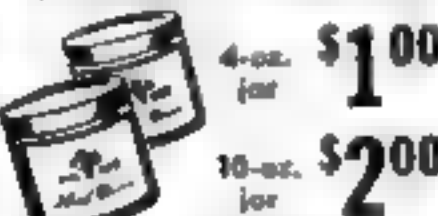
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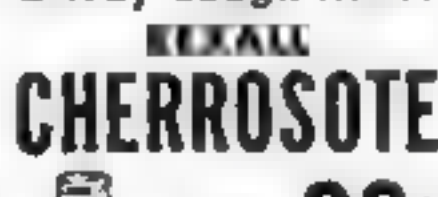
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CARTOON SHOWS SUPPOSEDLY U.S. LEADERS LAUNCHING PEACE SHIP. NUMBERS IDENTIFY ACTUAL CZECH LEADERS (NEXT PAGE) WHO ARE CARICATURED

## CZECH CARTOONIST SWITCHES WARMONGERS

To the eyes of propaganda-jaded Eastern Europeans, the cartoon above appeared at first glance to be only another sample of the kind of heavy-handed, anti-American satire dished out endlessly by Communist-run newspapers. This one, showing hypocritical "warmongering" U.S. officials launching a phony "ship of peace," was published by *Dikobraz*, or "Porcupine," a Czech satirical weekly, and it was three days before even Communist government officials realized something was horribly wrong. The

cartoonist had completely reversed the cartoon's intent by drawing in the faces of at least eight prominent Czech officials, from President Klement Gottwald on down (next page). Remaining issues of *Dikobraz* were confiscated, but most of its 200,000 copies had already been distributed and were bringing 500 koruny (\$10) on the black market. The daring cartoonist had already fled the country but there are strong reasons to believe that his managing editor, a top-rank Party man, has some tall explaining to do.



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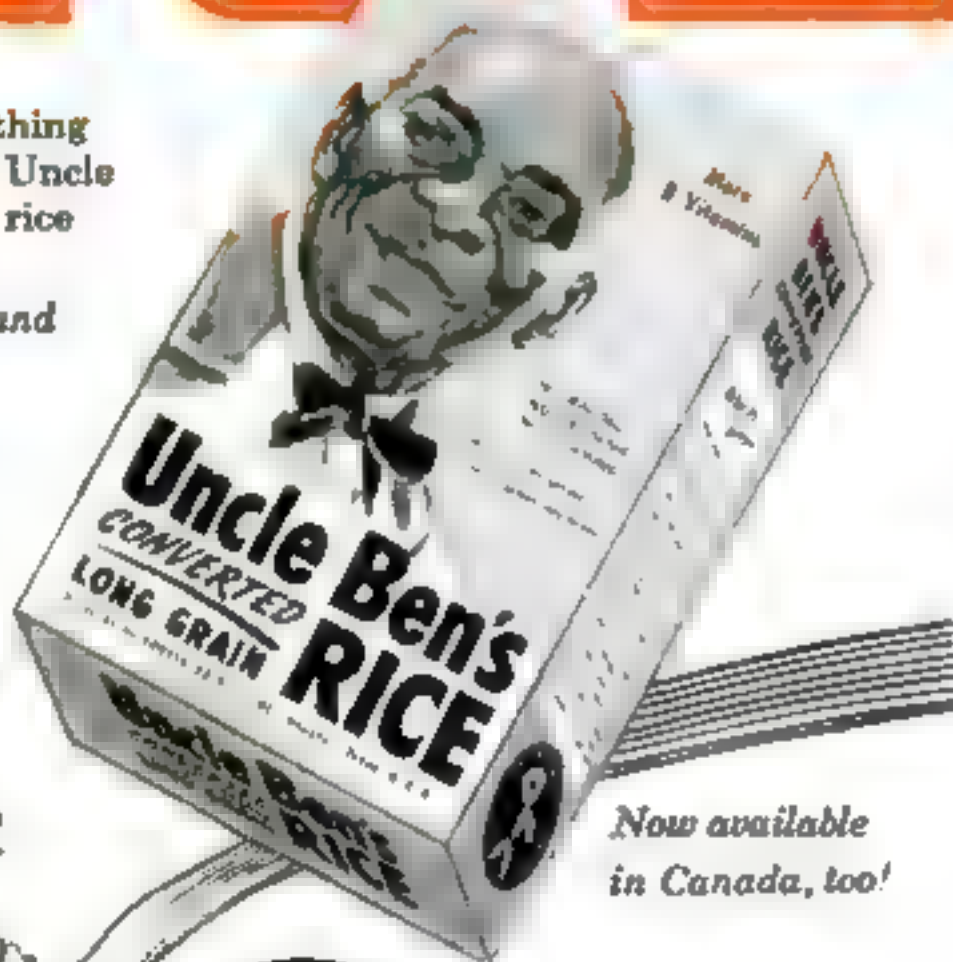
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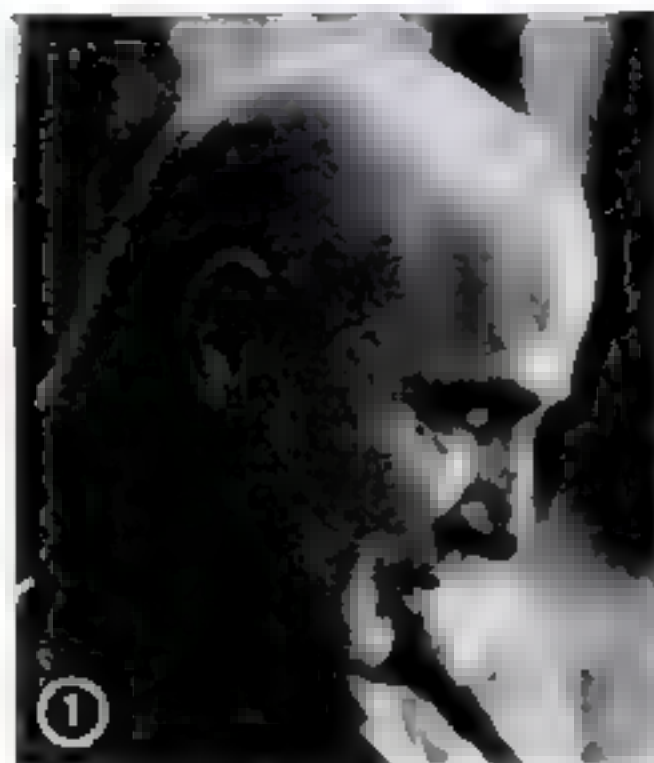
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Czech Cartoon CONTINUED

## CARTOON SHOWS THESE OFFICIALS



**GENERAL Jaroslav Prochazka**, indicated by the number 1 in cartoon on previous page, is army chief of staff who looks like late Benito Mussolini.



**PRESIDENT Klement Gottwald**, top Party leader, spent war years in Moscow. He engineered coup in Feb. 1948 which put Communists in power.



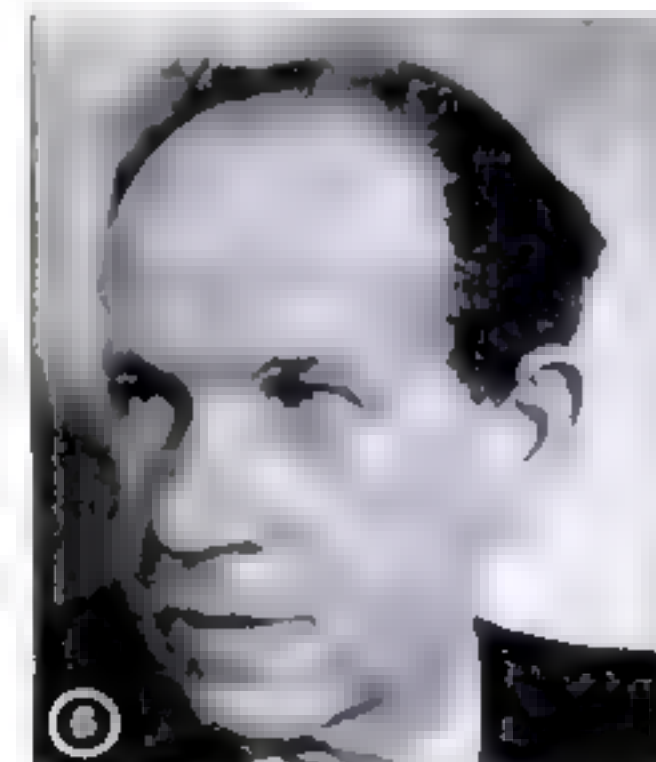
**VICE PREMIER Zdenek Fierlinger** is responsible for the liquidation of churches. Cartoon shows him as the sly, quelling type many consider him.



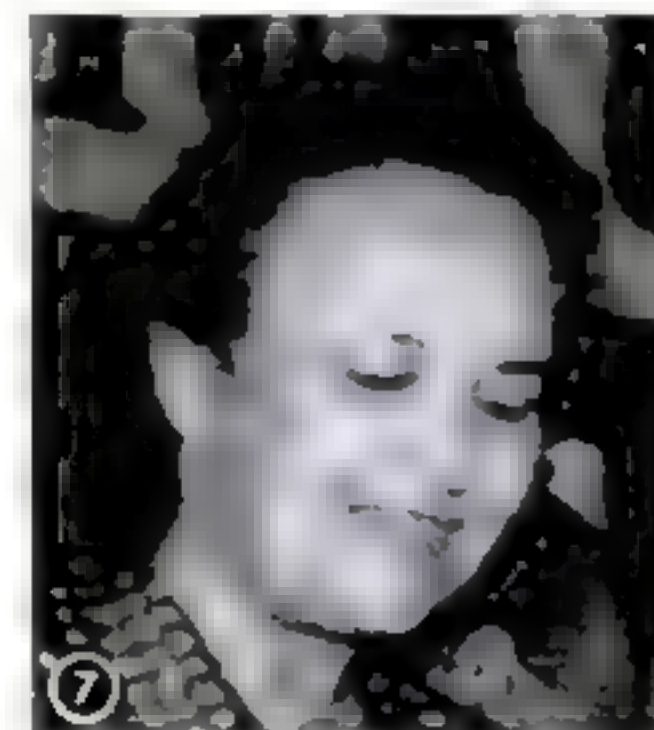
**PRESIDENT'S WIFE, Mme. Marta Gottwald**, is known for her preposterous dresses, enormous hats, which the cartoonist gave her in his drawing.



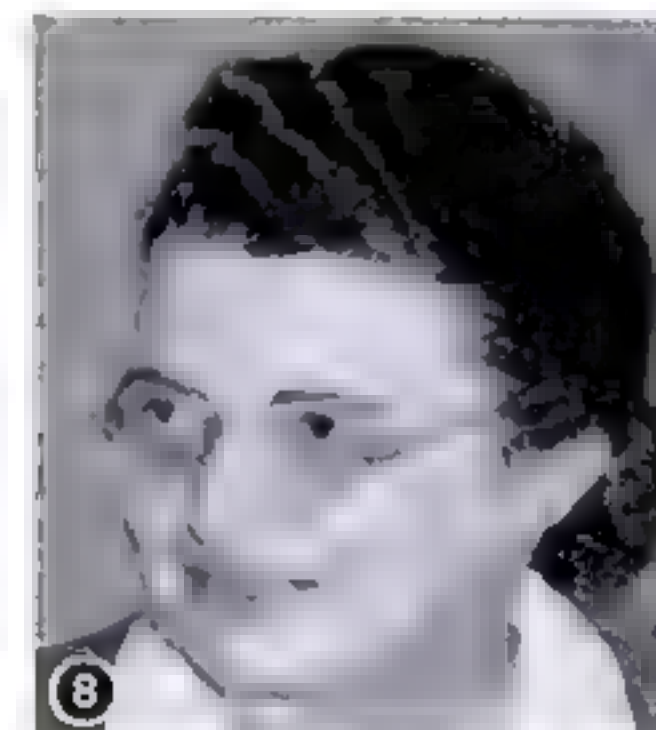
**EDUCATION MINISTER, Zdenek Nejedly**, appears as wispy-haired beggar grinding hand organ—reflecting his habit of repetition in speeches.



**PRIME MINISTER Antonin Zapotocky**, depicted as choirmaster, was chief trade union leader until, as the premier, he restricted union freedom.



**LADY DEPUTY, Mme. Maria Syrmova**, pictured as one of Zapotocky's singers, is the widow of war hero. Her career rests largely on his reputation.



**WOMEN'S LEADER, Mme. Anezka Hodinova Spurna**, is known as an eager beaver Communist, uneasy because she spent war years in London.



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# GREYHOUND







A LIPIZZAN LEAPS INTO A COURBETTE, A SERIES OF FORWARD JUMPS ON THE HIND LEGS. WILD STALLIONS USE THIS MANEUVER FIGHTING ONE ANOTHER





**IN A QUADRILLE** maneuver performed during first U.S. appearance at Harrisburg, Pa. show, eight Lipizzans mesh like four double-headed horses.

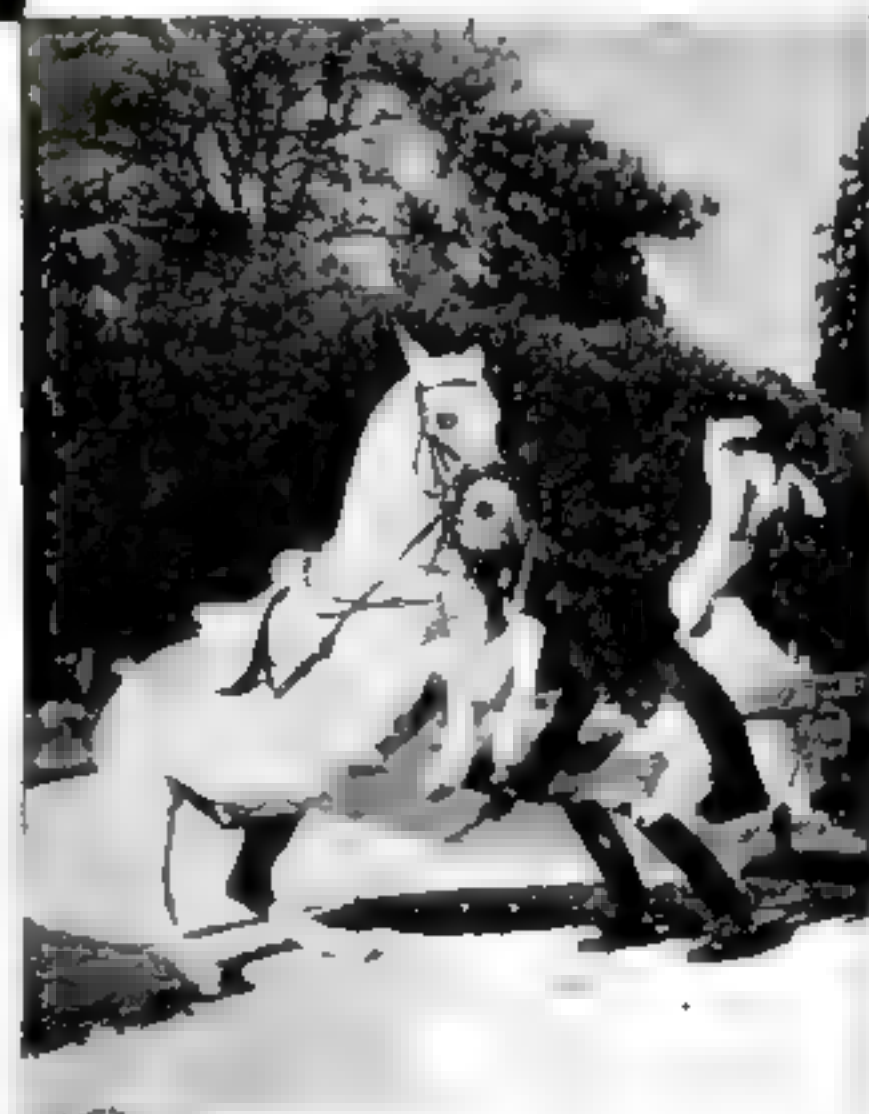
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survived rebellions, wars, abdications, Nazis, Communists (p. 61) and finally came to the U.S. as the feature attraction of the National Horse Show in Madison Square Garden in New York.

No one need be a horse lover to appreciate the show the school puts on—not only individual feats of horsemanship but also the big spectacles. To the strains of Viennese music they dance like ballerinas through the "Great School Quadrille," their gold trappings gleaming. The riders sit like men of stone in the saddles. Commands for intricate changes in rhythm and precise pirouettes are issued silently—by a shift of weight or pressure of a knee. After New York and an engagement at Toronto's Royal Winter Fair, the Lipizzans will go back to the Old World.



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#### Lipizzans CONTINUED



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NEW HOME for school is Wels, near Salzburg, in Austria's American zone. Here, on plain below Fortress Hohensalzburg, horses do quadrille formations.



FEEDING TIME brings Lipizzan mares and foals ambling toward barn on breeding farm at Wunsbach. Foals are born brown or gray and do not turn





**PLEA FOR HELP** is made by Colonel Podhajsky, on horse, after a special show for GIs in 1945. General Patton (standing) agreed to protect the school.

## HOW PATTON SAVED THE HORSES

In 1945 the chief of the riding school, Colonel Alois Podhajsky, was frantic to get out of Vienna. He had saved his horses from air raids but now the Russians were bearing in. The Nazis repeatedly refused to let him go and in desperation Podhajsky got 40 carriages, planned to hitch two Lipizzan stallions to each carriage, load equipment in the back and light out for safety some dark night. But with the Russians only eight days away, he was given permission to get his horses out by rail. He headed west and waited at St. Martin until the advancing U.S. XX Corps came. Even then, his troubles were not over until Podhajsky had put on a special show for General George Patton. A fancier of horses as well as tanks, Patton was enthusiastic about the Lipizzans, agreed not only to protect the 80 horses but also to rescue the school's broodmares and foals, which were on a farm in Czechoslovakia, still within reach of the Reds. He dispatched a convoy under the protection of four tanks to Czechoslovakia and, after a little trouble with local authorities which ended when the tank commander threatened to open fire, the breeding stock and the school's future were saved.



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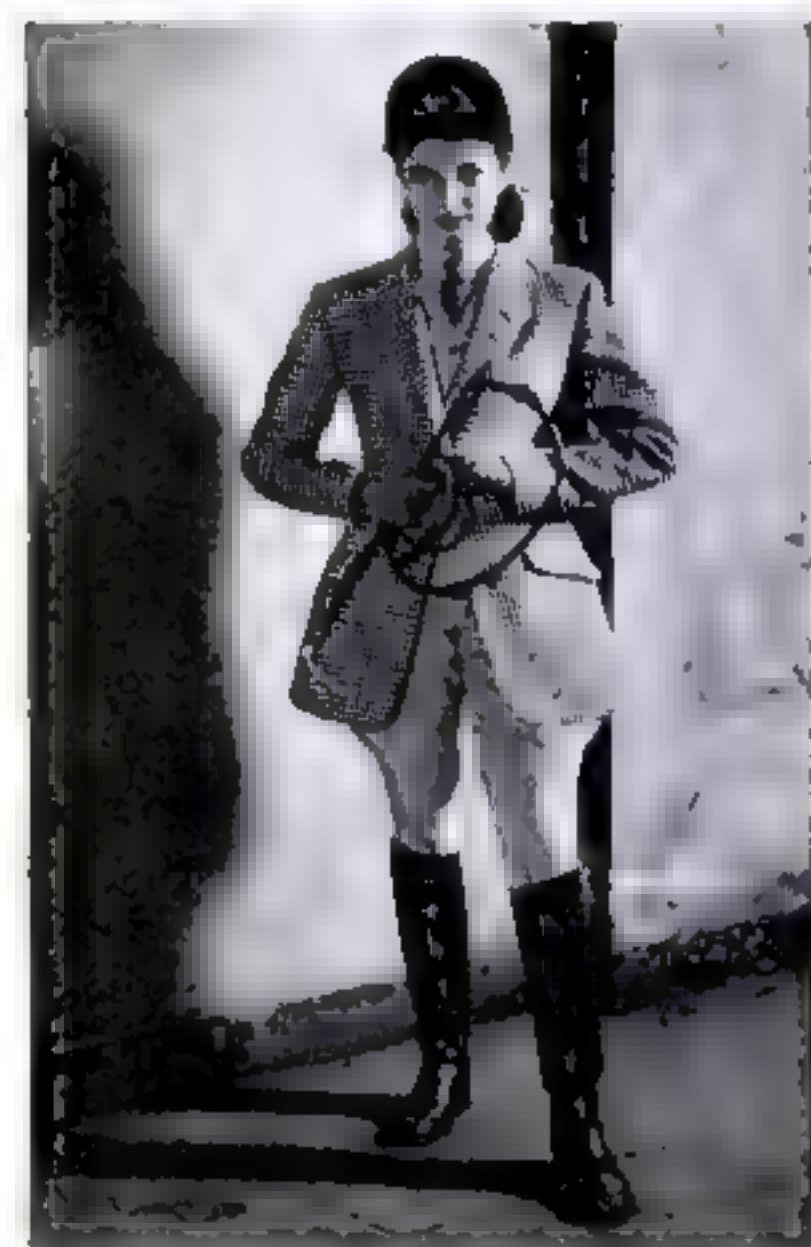
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Lipizzans CONTINUED

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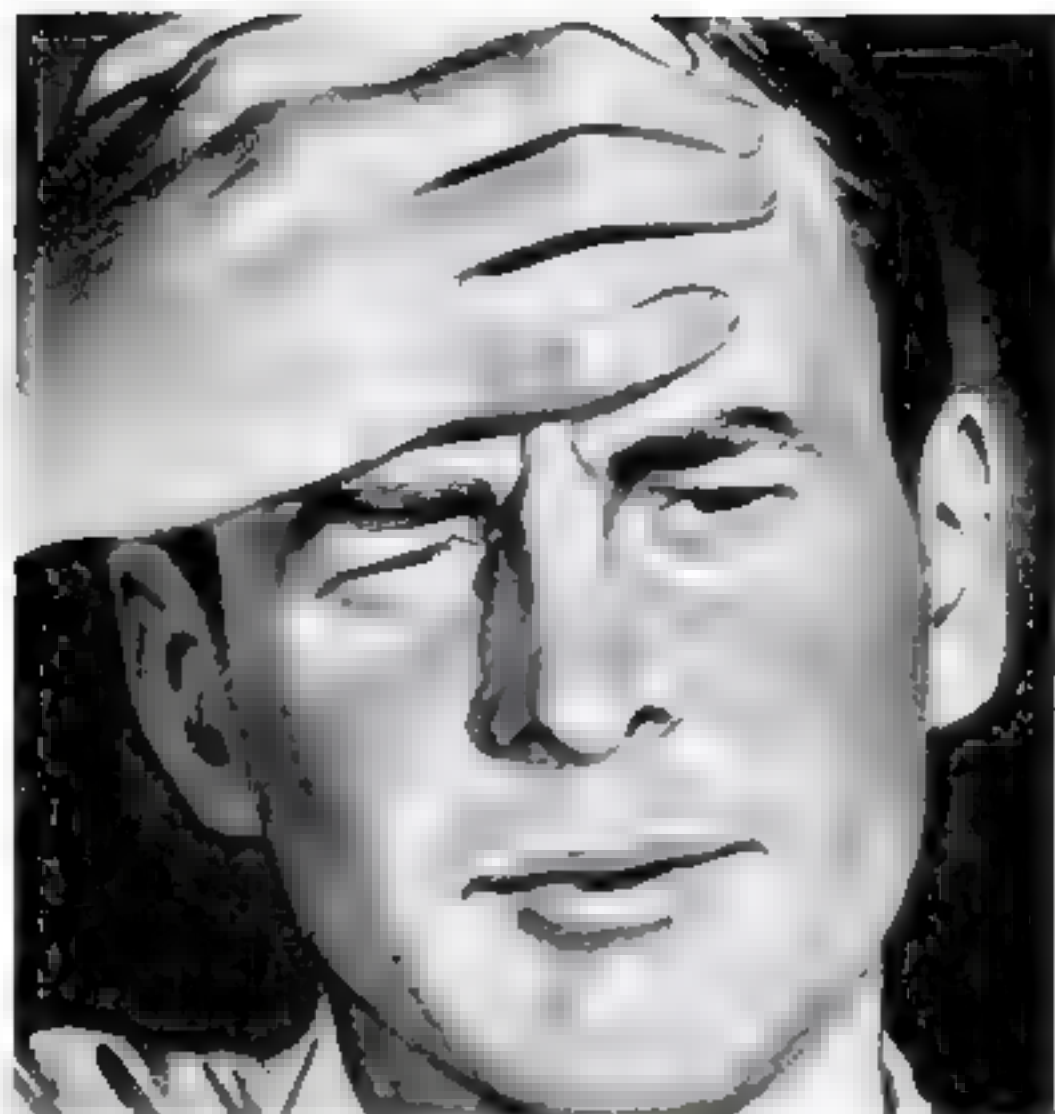


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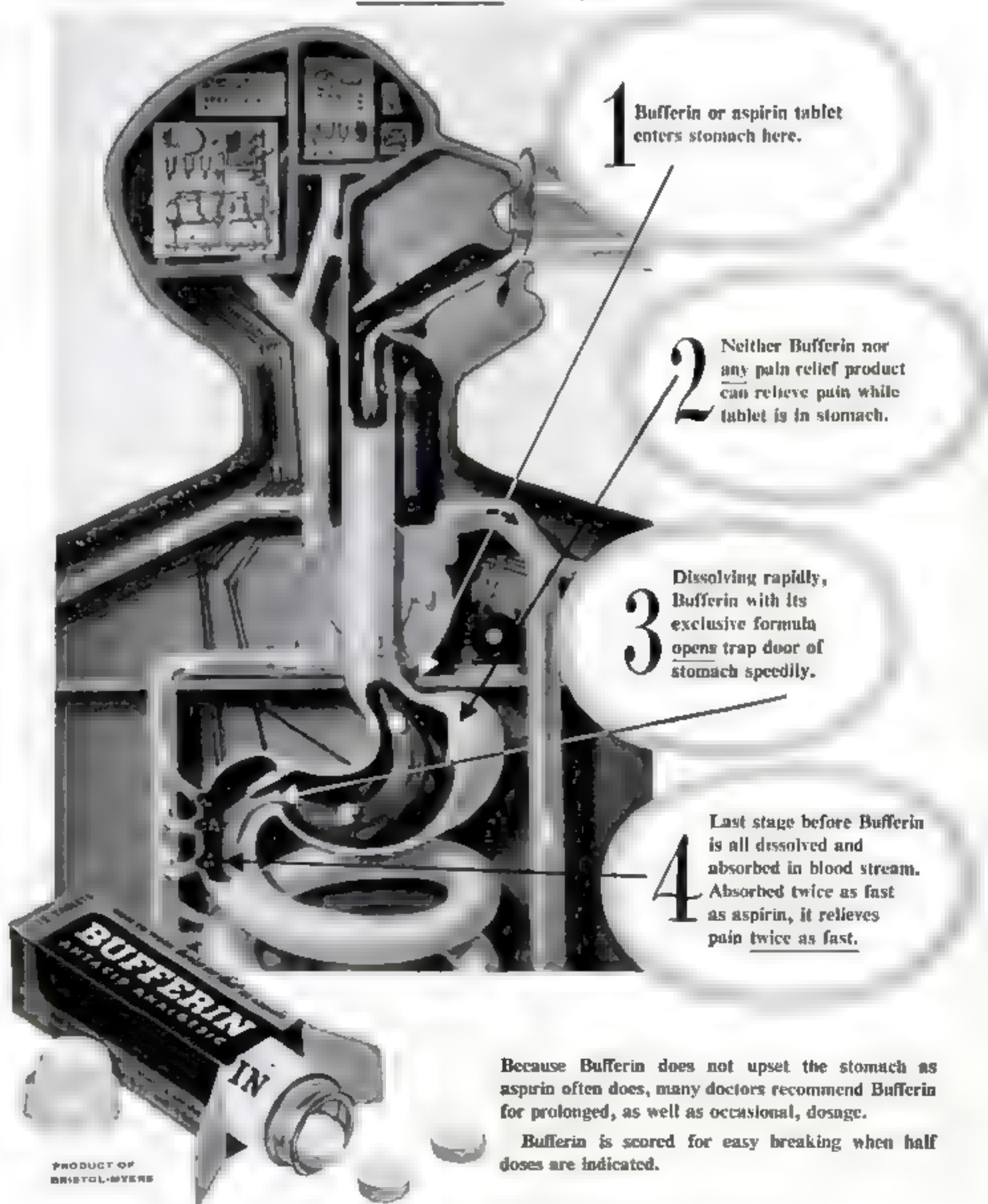


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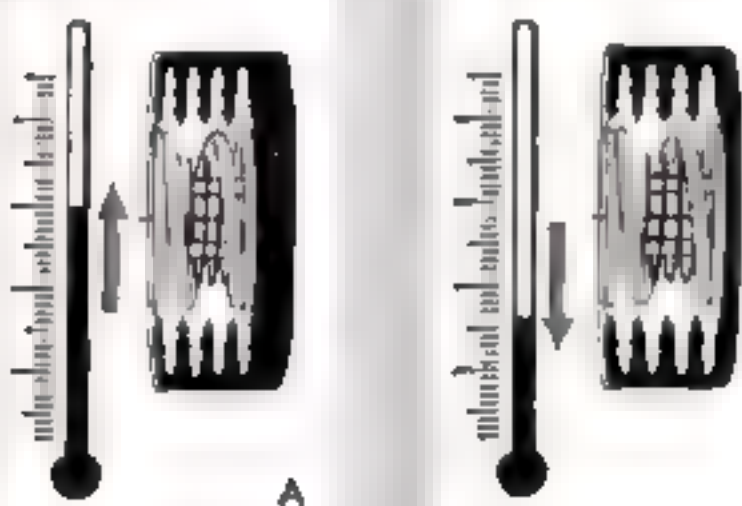
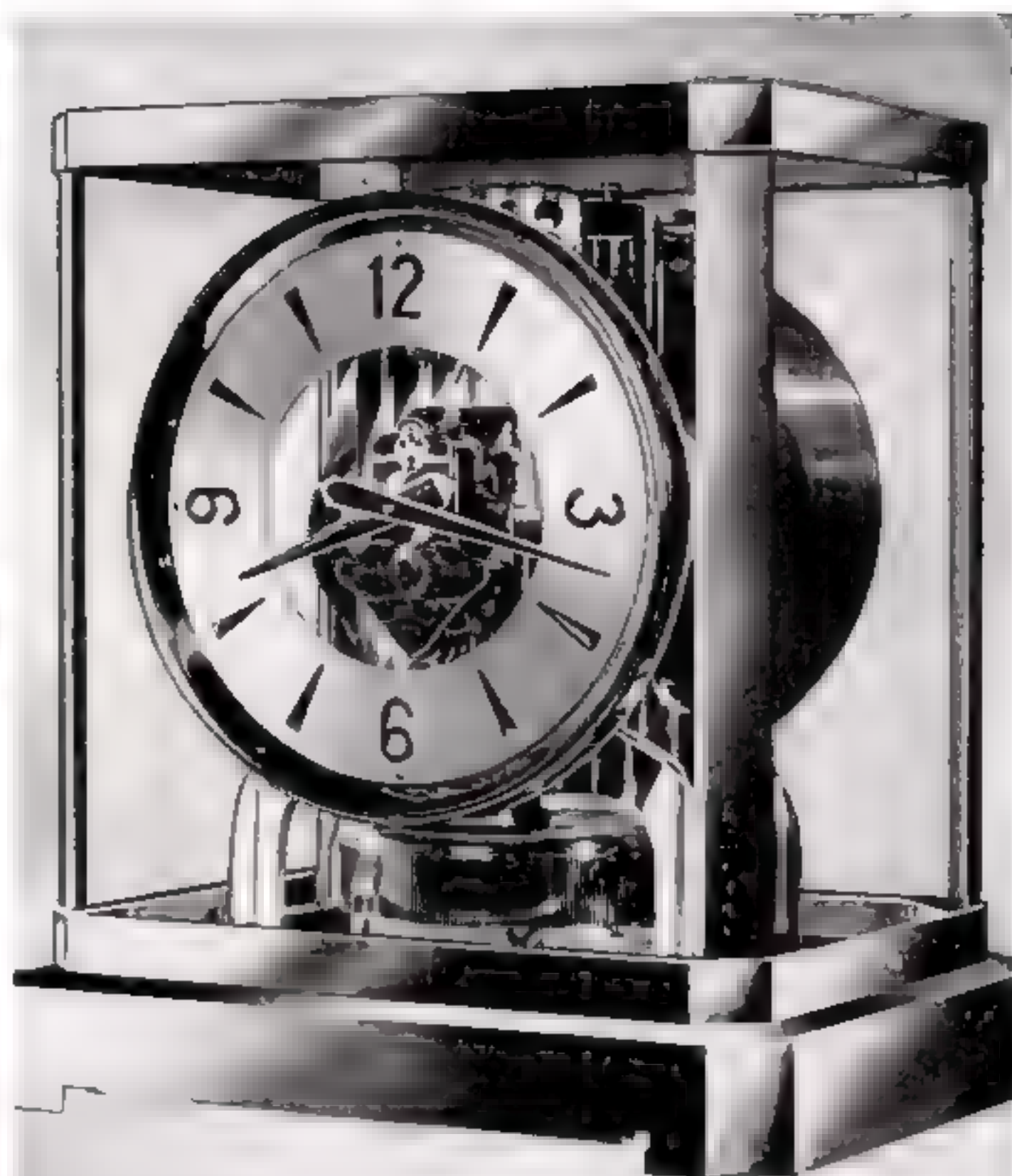


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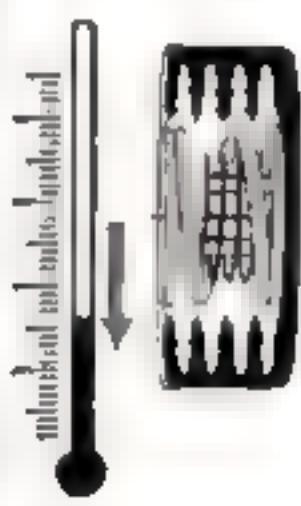
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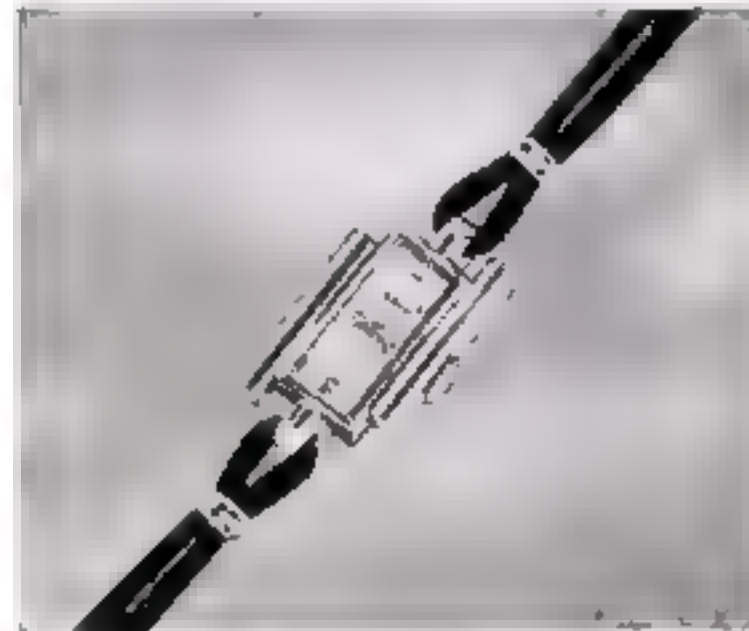
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FROM DAWN TO PAST DARKNESS, THE PRISONERS FELLED SIBERIA'S MIGHTY TREES. IF THEY FAILED TO REACH THEIR QUOTA, FOOD RATIONS WERE CUT

## A JAPANESE PRISONER IN SIBERIA

**A schoolteacher caught by the Russians in Manchuria paints his three lost years as a slave laborer**

In September 1945, Misao Amano, a Japanese schoolteacher in Russian-occupied Manchuria, stepped out of his refugee home in Mukden to answer a call from the authorities for a "review." He left casual word with his wife and two small sons that he would be back in a few moments. But he did not return. Instead of going to a "review" he was shipped off to Siberia along with some 1,500 other Japanese.

The watercolors on these pages describe his

life there as a slave laborer. They show a little world of men set down in an immense wilderness, working desperately to appease as best they can the impersonal authority of the conqueror. As their hopelessness grew, many of the prisoners succumbed to overwork, cold and hunger—but some of them were able to survive, to be sent home as suddenly as they were shipped away. Amano was one of those who were at last repatriated. By Japanese count, some 300,000

are still in Russian hands, their fate unknown.

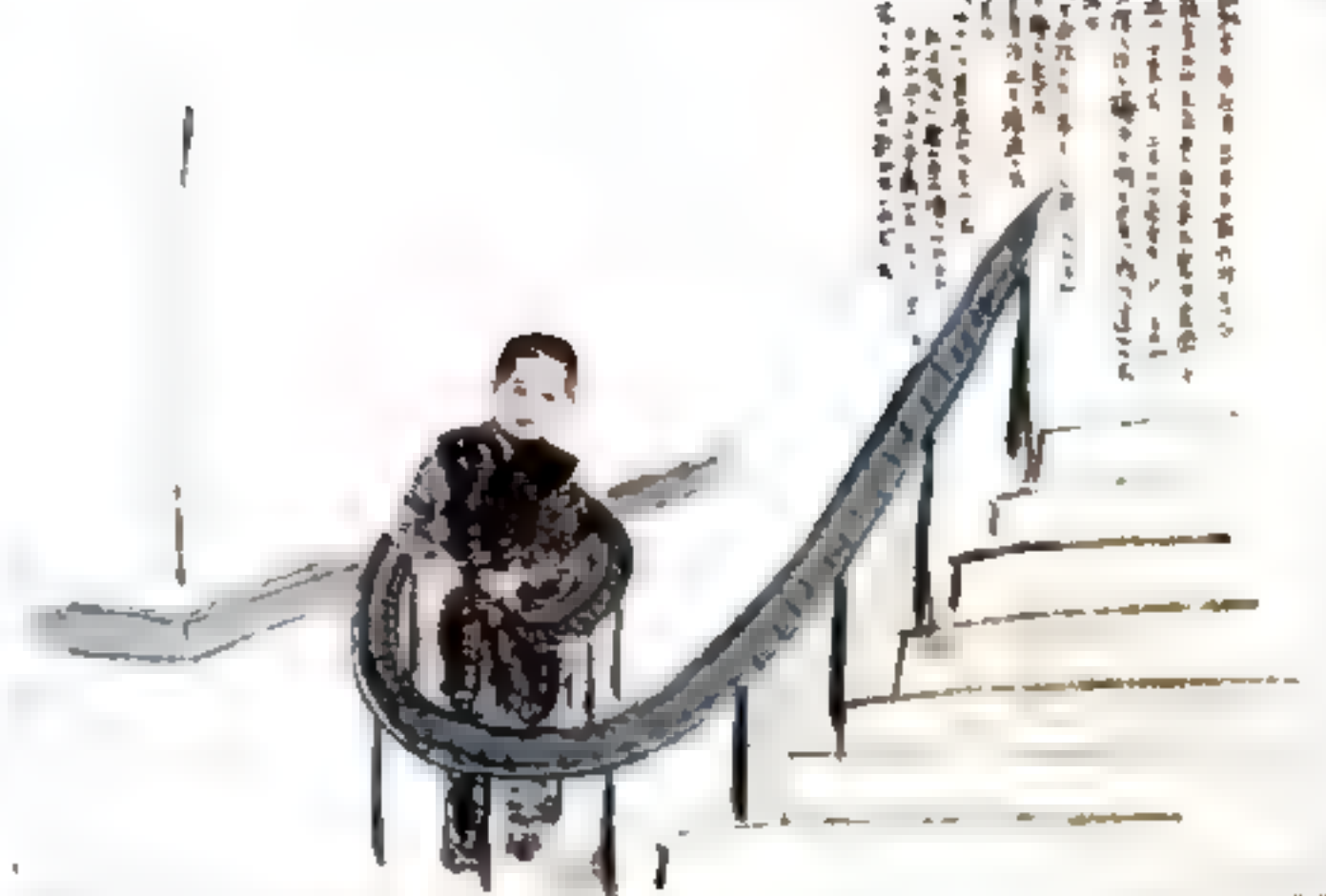
Amano returned to his native village, where he received the news that his wife and sons were dead. As a final tribute to their memories and to his 250 comrades who had died in Siberia, he made these sketches, recording three grim years, in the soft and delicate style of Japanese painting. A Methodist missionary who saw them in Japan sent them to LIFE. Now teaching again, Amano remarried and has a daughter.

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**1 A LAST LOOK** at his younger son, Osamu, aged 4, was taken by Amano as he left the schoolroom which had been their home since their own house was plundered at the war's end. Osamu called, "Where are you going, Daddy?" "Just down the street for a few minutes," Amano answered. Three years later he learned that Osamu, left alone when his mother and brother died, had tried to live the life of a scavenger. "Finally, losing strength, then health, his life passed away."



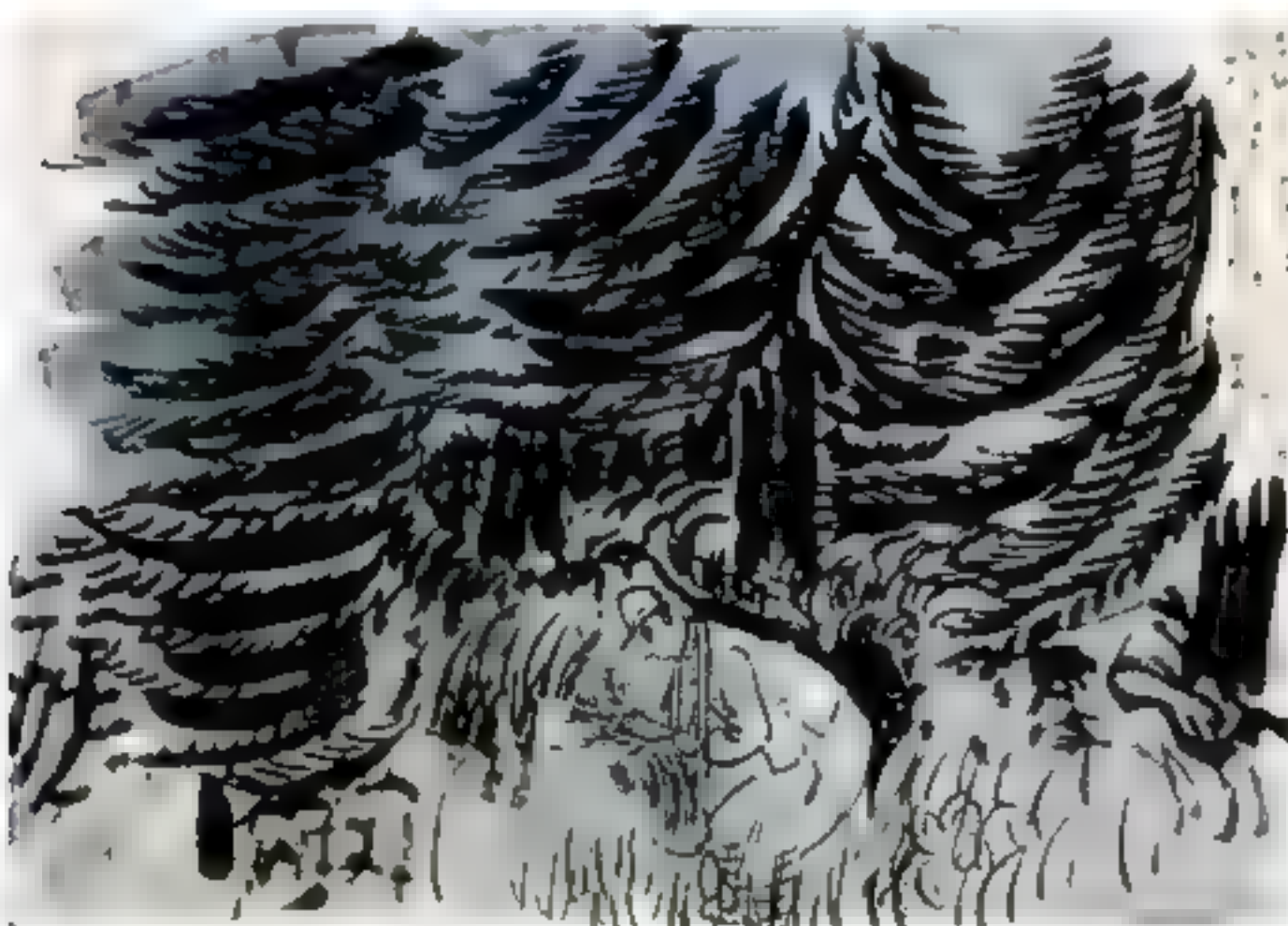
**2 HIS OLDER SON**, Hiroshi, aged 5, was playing in the curved bannister of the stairs as Amano went out. He remembers, "An inner foreboding moved me to say twice, 'Listen to your mother, Son.' " These were the father's last words to his boy. Later, while Amano was en route to Siberia and praying for his family's safety, his wife and two sons were put in a detention camp with the families of other deportees. Penniless, almost without food, first the mother, then Hiroshi, died.



**5 A BAZAAR** in a nearby village was one of the few recreations the prisoners had. "Small bazaars were held daily, while major ones, where livestock was sold, took place once a month. Unrationed items could be sold freely. Russian soldiers, at 30 rubles a month, could do a little buying. Aside from ration distribution points, few stores were operated in the villages of Siberia. We prisoners, who had no money to spend, could only watch the happy occasion from a distance."



**6 STOLEN MILK** helped supplement the prisoners' diet. "Cows got so hungry they would eat human dung. We learned to entice the cows with frozen, salty urine, while another of our group would milk the cows dry. Angry farmers charged us with the theft, but of course we knew nothing about it. I say, in defense of our conduct, that we were driven to these ends partly by necessity in order to live, and partly by a kind of futile inner drive to retaliate against our captors."



**9 FINDING GRASS** for food was a constant preoccupation. "Grub worms, grass, roots—we learned to eat them all. We watched the cows. We felt that what they ate was not poisonous. What they ate, we ate. But some people ate the wrong kinds of grass and became ill. I heard there was a man at Irkutsk Detention Camp who died of eating poisonous grass. At the end of May garlic would appear in the swamps. We preserved it with salt. The Russians also sold it at the bazaar."

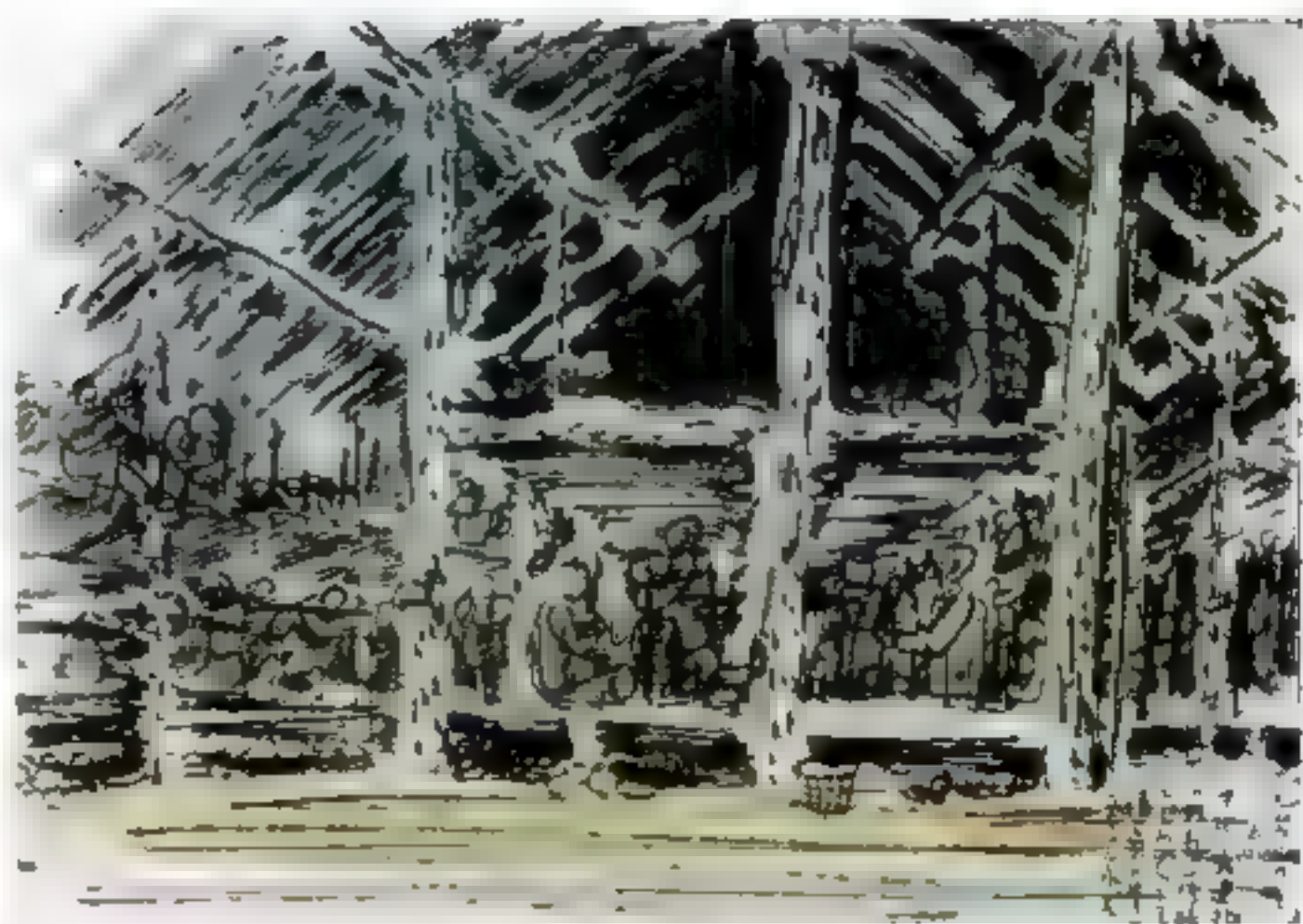


**10 ON MAY DAY**, prisoners carried the Red flag and sang with hopeful ardor. "The Russians did everything possible to educate us in the philosophy of Communism. The newspaper on the wall was changed regularly. Pictures of Lenin and Stalin beamed on us wherever we went. On May Day we staged a big demonstration. 'We will make Japan Communist,' we cried. At the same time we hoped that we were depositing another yen toward the purchase of our ticket home."





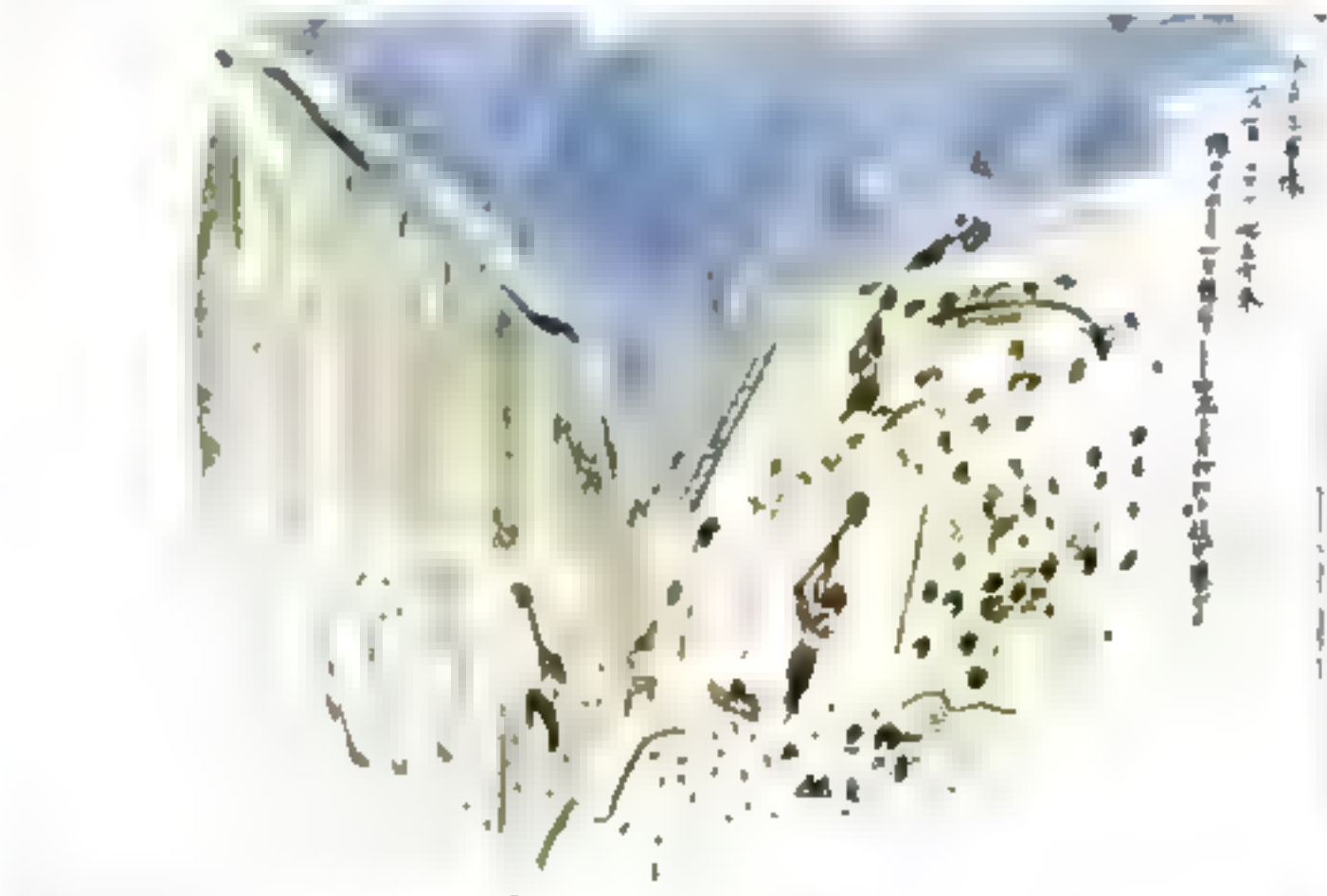
**3 ON THE WAY TO SIBERIA**, Amano and his fellow prisoners, 1,500 in all, were packed tightly in a long freight train. "The train went northward, but we did not know our destination. Occasionally along the way we were let out for a little fresh air and exercise. Then we were ordered back into the cars. I stood for a moment, however, looking back toward Mukden, breathing a prayer for my family." The trip to their destination, near Irkutsk, took nearly two months.



**4 THE BARRACKS HOME** for 1,500 Japanese prisoners "was not like any ordinary house. Half the building was below the ground. The upper half was covered with dirt and snow. The dark, damp, rancid atmosphere was oppressive to death. Each of us had about 1½ by 5 feet of floor space to live in. The temperature was 40 degrees below zero when we arrived. The snow was 30 centimeters [about a foot] deep. Several of us died right after we were taken out of the train."



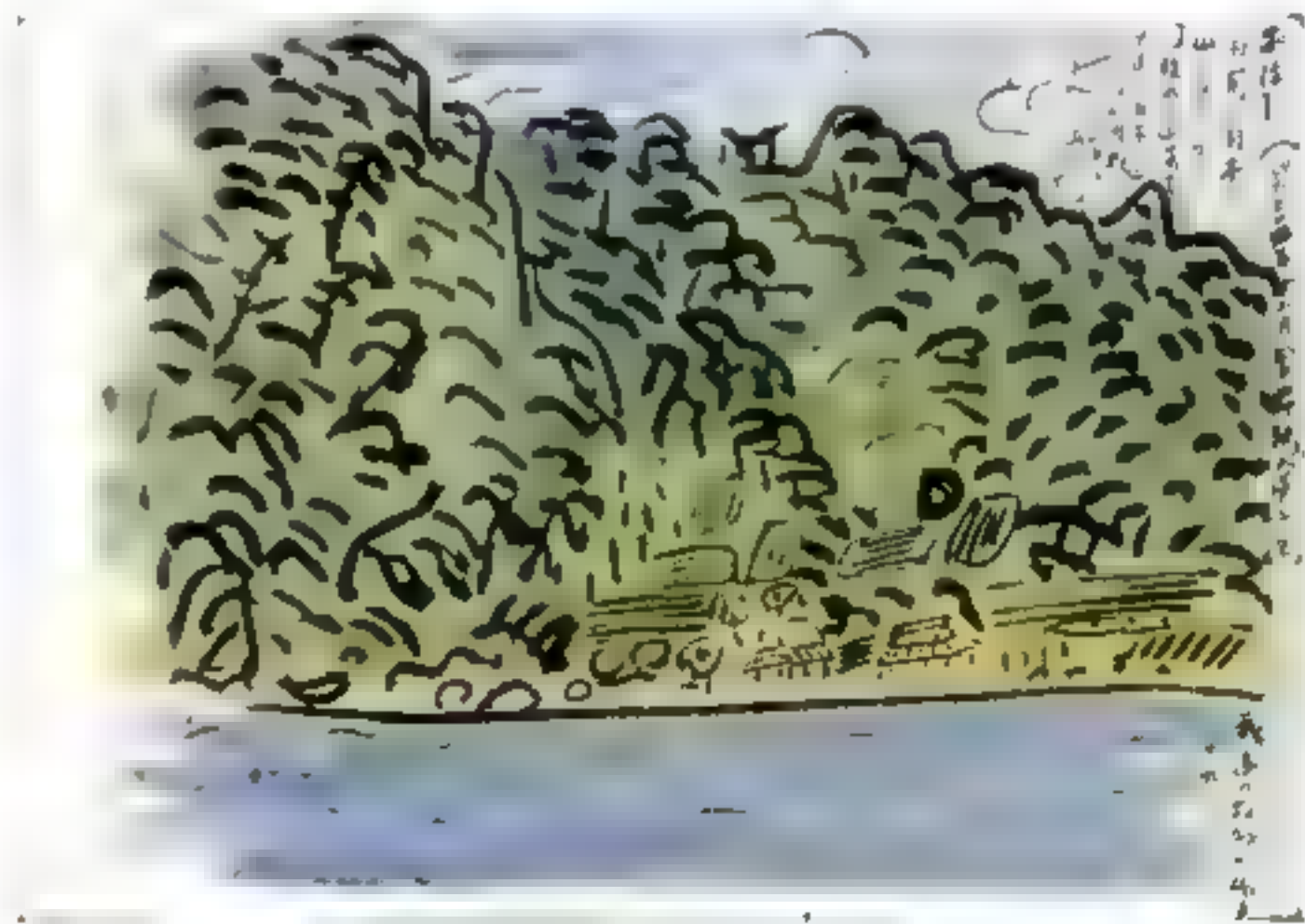
**7 LOADING WOOD** which they had cut was one of the prisoners' most killing jobs. "The height of the pile on a truck was five meters [about 16 feet]. When we had to pile wood on more than 10 trucks we had so little time for lunch that we ate it standing. When our quota was increased to 14 trucks a day, we got so tired that at the end we had no energy left to go home. We grew thinner day by day because of this heavy work. We worked sometimes until 10 o'clock at night."



**8 LAYING A WATERLINE** in the town of Nizhneudinsk, the prisoners worked without machinery of any kind. "The line had to be 11 feet below the ground to protect it from freezing. A one-man digging quota each day was an area 4½ feet long, 11 feet wide and 11 feet deep. There was only human labor to handle the masses of rock. Always there was the fear; failure to reach the quota means less food; less food means less strength; less strength means less work to fill the quota."



**11 HOMEWARD BOUND** at last, the prisoners showed more enthusiasm than ever for the Communist cause to make sure they would not be turned back at the last moment. "Using our demonstration materials, we decorated our freight cars. Our purpose was to reveal a burning zeal for Communism, whether sincere or calculated. In our midst, of course, there were some thoroughgoing converts. These would join the party in Japan and work there to strengthen the cause."



**12 THE JAPANESE HOMELAND** appeared to Amano finally over a ship's rail. "The first sight of the green mountains filled us with an inexpressible emotion. An almost unbearable happiness welled up within me, but it was cut through with a cold shaft of fear: 'Was my family able to return safely?' The sickening pain I felt later on learning of their death was not vastly greater than the apprehension which filled my heart as our train sped toward my home."



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**ON LAST LAP** of campus wanderings Bruiser, in the biology hall, exhibits the objectionable behavior that got him kicked out of school.

## BRUISER GETS BOUNCED

**Purdue bulldog, class of '51, shifts to DePauw**

Although the youngest inhabitant of the Phi Gamma Delta fraternity house at Purdue University, Bruiser, a 3-year-old English bulldog, was one of the best-known Phi Gams in school. Until this fall, start of his senior year, he was also one of the best-loved. As the fraternity's mascot he had full freedom of the Lafayette, Ind. campus. His fame spread when he won third prize in the Purdue ugly-man contest. But recently, like many a youngster who lets campus success go to his head, he got careless. He took to hogging the drinking fountains, keeping late hours, snoring in class and nuzzling the food handlers in the student union cafeteria. He also was known to have access to the second-floor lounge of the Kappa Alpha Theta sorority house, where his fraternity brothers, and all males for that matter, are rarely allowed. The campus police chief complained of his escapades. Finally the director of student affairs called him on the carpet and reluctantly—for Bruiser had seemed a dog most likely to succeed—expelled him from school. Anxious to see him continue his college education, the Phi Gams found him a refuge in their chapter at DePauw University, where Bruiser last week was trying to make a new start.



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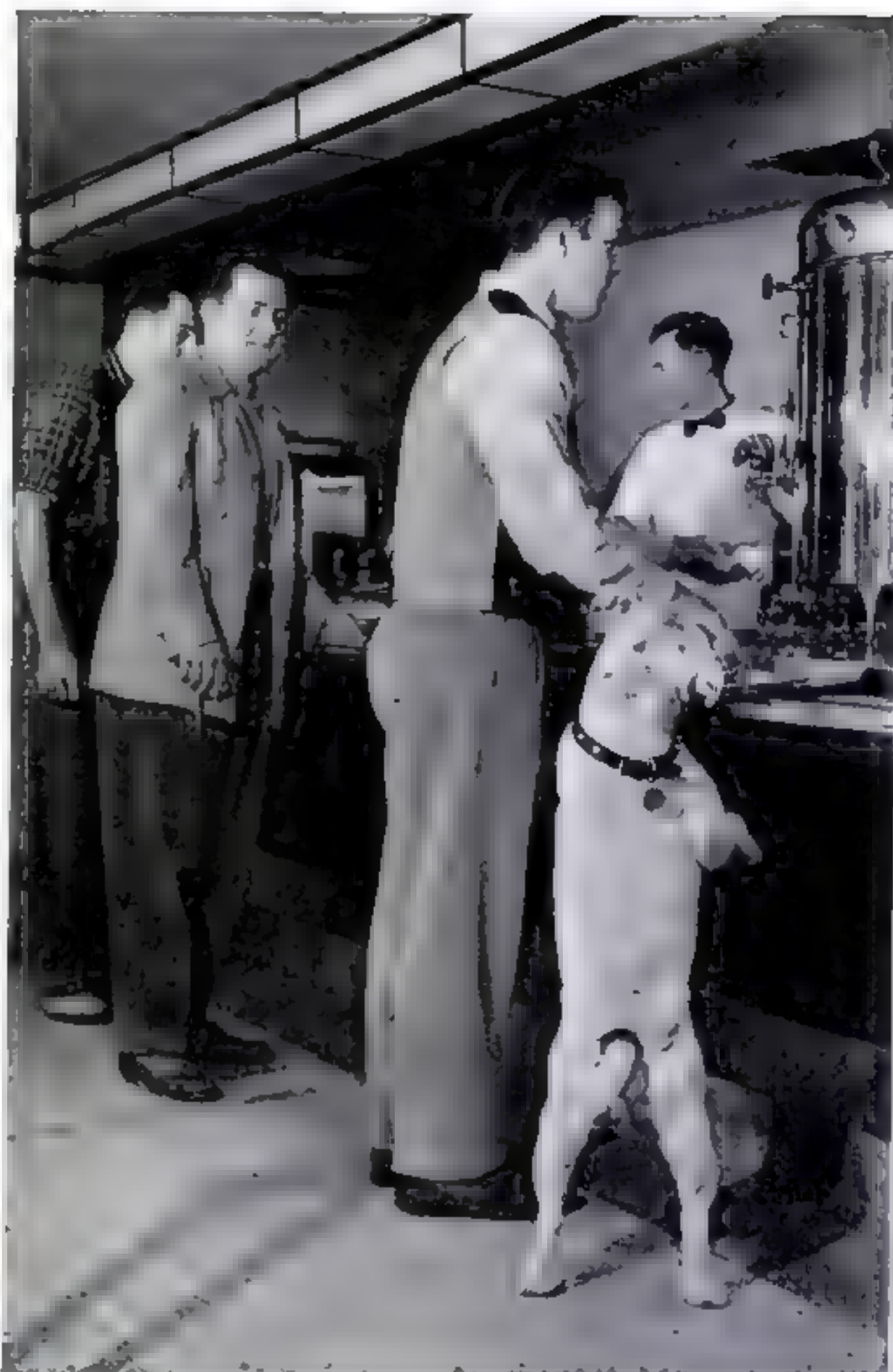
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Bruiser CONTINUED



IN CAFETERIA at the student union building gauche Bruiser has the effrontery to snatch morsels from a student's tray before the food is even paid for



IN CLASSROOM Bruiser sleepily turns back on a political science lecture. Once a professor told him, "Get out of here—you passed this course last year."

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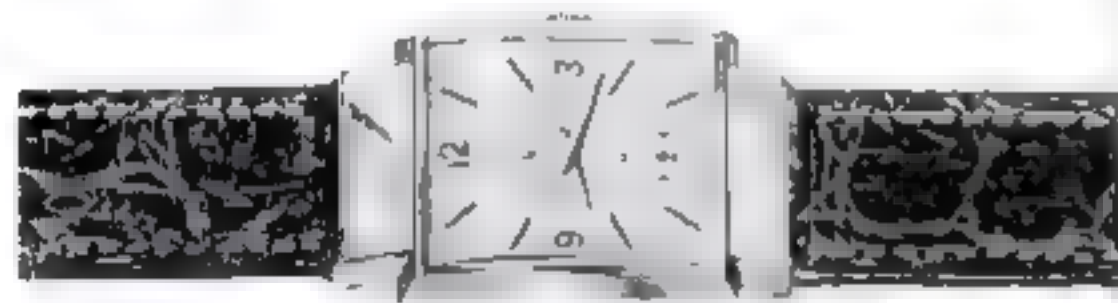
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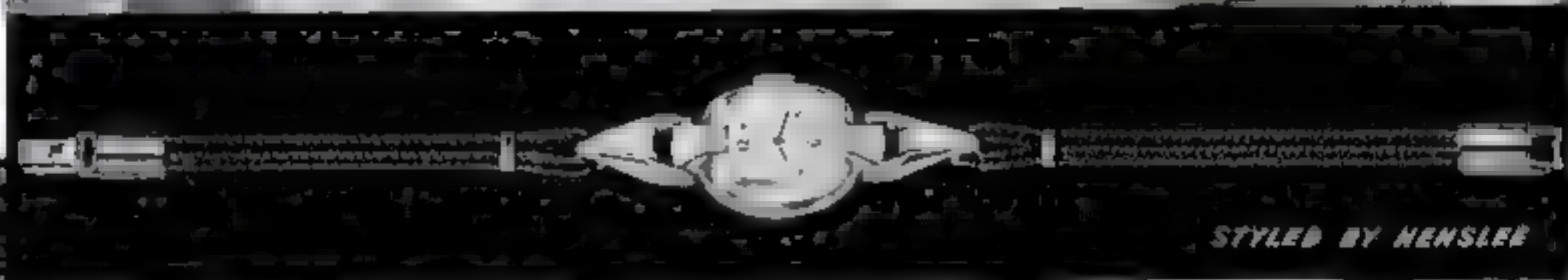
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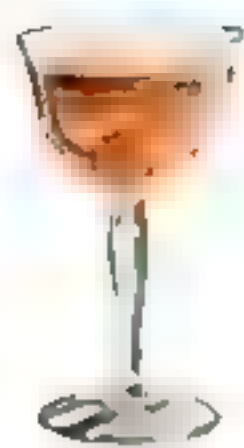
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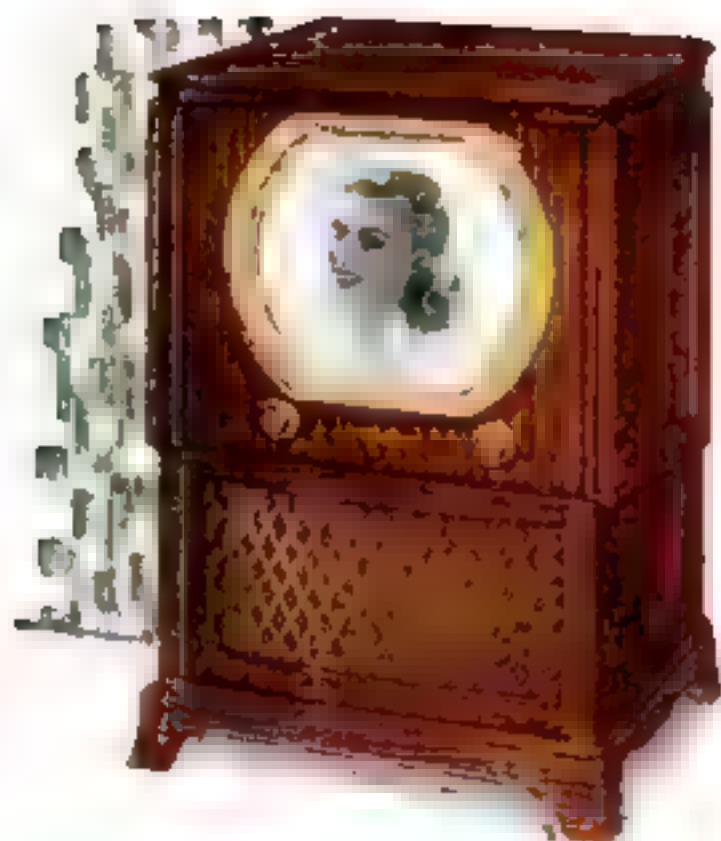


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# ANDY WALKS IN

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got a three-day pass and a ride to Stockton. His mother glanced out a window just as Andy came across the yard. "Oh, God," she cried, "I thank you, I thank you!" When the family saw him everyone cried. Andy had lost 55 pounds and was too weak even to crack jokes. "Fatten him up," said his father. "Lots of spaghetti." "Only his eyes are the same," whispered his mother.



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## Andy Walks In CONTINUED



**ANDY KISSES FATHER**, a blacksmith, who was photographing Andy's niece (right) when he arrived. Looking on are his mother, brother-in-law, sister.



**FEELING PAIN** from wound during dinner, Andy lies down on cot to rest. Doctors told him it might take two months before he could eat comfortably.



**TRYING TO BE BRAVE**, Andy's mother sits across bedroom from rest of family. Later she brought out box in which she had saved mementoes of her





**FORMER BOSS**, John Morganelli, feels guilty because, when he told Andy he ought to work harder in filing station or join Army, Andy got mad and joined.



**FRIENDS** Charlie Abate and Geno Covello, World War II veterans, run a clothing store. When Andy tried to talk about fighting, they asked about chow.



son: Andy's 1948 hunting license, a half stick of gum she found in his clothes, a Cellophane wrapping from his Mother's Day gift to her, two traffic tickets.

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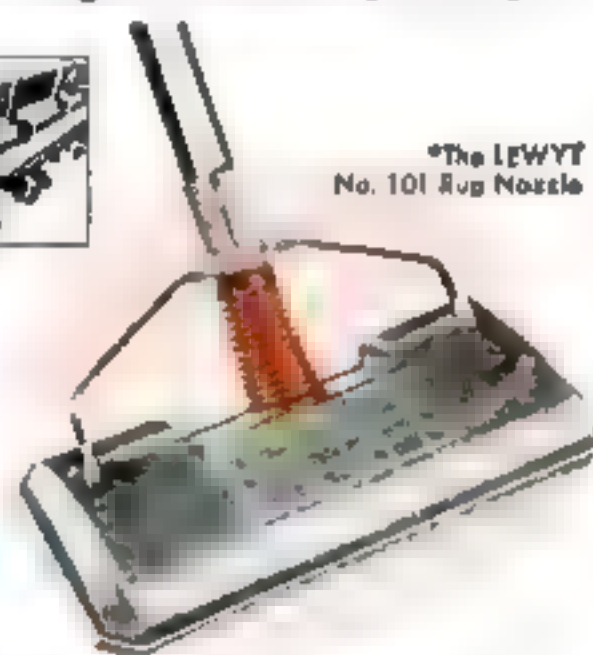
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# News About the Fall Pork Crop

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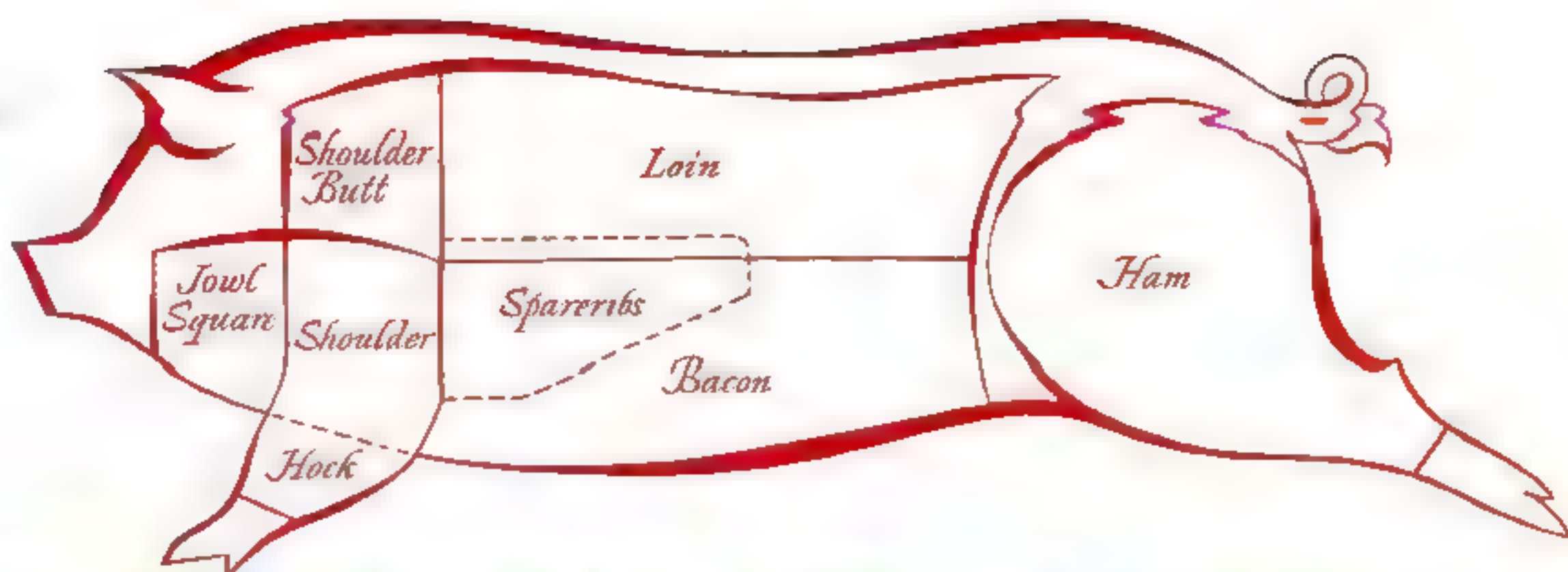
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Only about 55% of a porker is meat and only about half of that is loin roasts and chops, ham and bacon. This is a particularly good time to learn more cuts.



## GOOD PICKS IN PORK

that help you make the most of America's vital meat supply

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The big fall pork harvest is well under way. Already truckers and railroaders

have started moving the porkers from farms to packing centers. In meat packing plants, skilled workmen are getting ready to smoke more hams, cure more bacon, make more sausage, move more fresh pork into the nation's supply lines. And your retailer is ready to offer you a wider selection of cuts.

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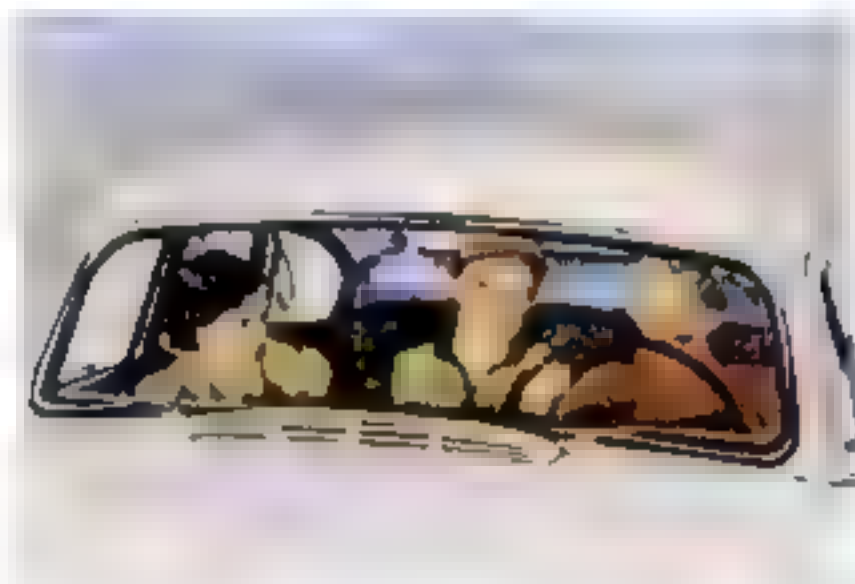
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SUCCESS SLOGANS AND THE FACE OF PRESIDENT HARDING SURROUND DIDDLEBOCK AS HE STARTS WORK

## MOVIE OF THE WEEK:

# *Mad Wednesday*

Harold Lloyd's "Freshman" grows into middle age, goes on a chase after alcohol, love and lions



**HIRING OF HAROLD** by eager alumnus follows his triumphant touchdown in his big football game.

Harold Lloyd is back, looking as if he had never been away. In fact, his new movie starts off with a whole reel out of one of the best of his old ones, *The Freshman* (1925), and carries its hero on into modern times. This new film is called *Mad Wednesday* and is being released by RKO a good five years after it was written and directed by Preston Sturges, under the name of *The Sin of Harold Diddlebock*.

Taking a few bright satiric stabs at the American myth of the success story, Sturges shows his football hero graduating, getting a job as a bookkeeper, still bookkeeping after 20 years, poor and shabby and with a hopeless love locked up in his breast. Then he is fired. Then he takes his first drink. The drink leads to an immense bender, and thence, via a jaunt with a lion on a ledge (p. 88), to fame, fortune and marriage.



**FIRING OF HAROLD** by alumnus comes 22 years later, for failing to rise above position of bookkeeper.

SLOGANS ARE THE SAME BUT FACE ON CALENDAR HAS CHANGED WHEN DIDDLEBOCK IS GIVEN THE GATE





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Although it may not make a heavyweight look as svelte as the young man in the Marine Blue suit shown in our advertisement on another page, the Slenderizer® really does wonders for the big man who wants to look pounds lighter.

## "Mad Wednesday" CONTINUED



**SEVENTH LOVE** of Harold Diddlebock is a girl in the art department of the advertising agency where he works. He had previously been in love with each of her six sisters, but all got married before he could get around to proposing.



**FIRST DRINK** in his life is served him after he has been fired. The bartender, remarking that the situation arouses the artist in him, pours in a bit of everything behind the bar. The effect on Harold is immediate and intense.



**CONGENIAL LION** comes with the circus Harold buys with some of the thousands he won on the horses during his heroic binge. He takes him around to bankers' offices to add weight to his pleas that they invest in his circus.

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# MARY MARTIN

star of "South Pacific"



says: "I've found a new kind of curler

that really holds...and curls  
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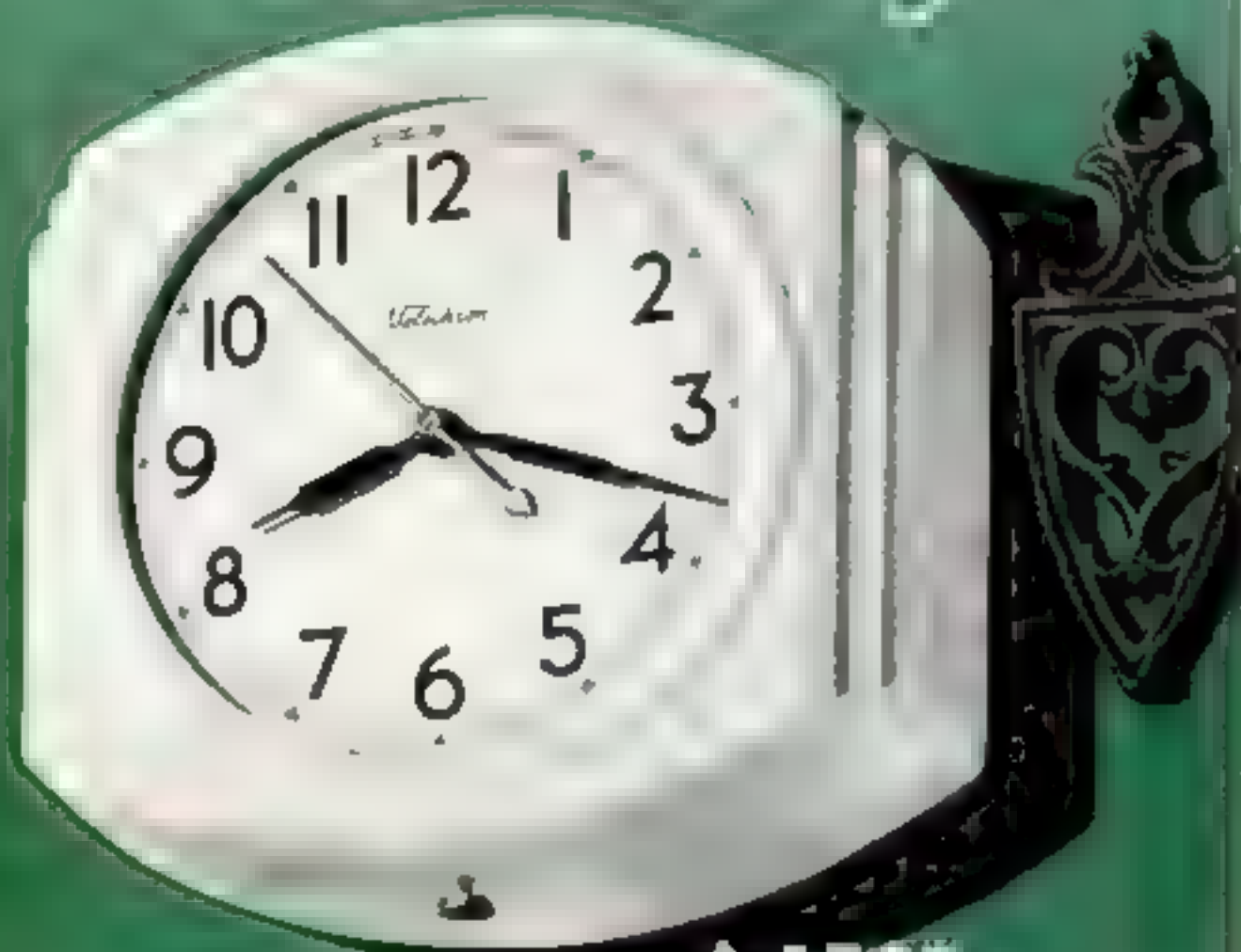
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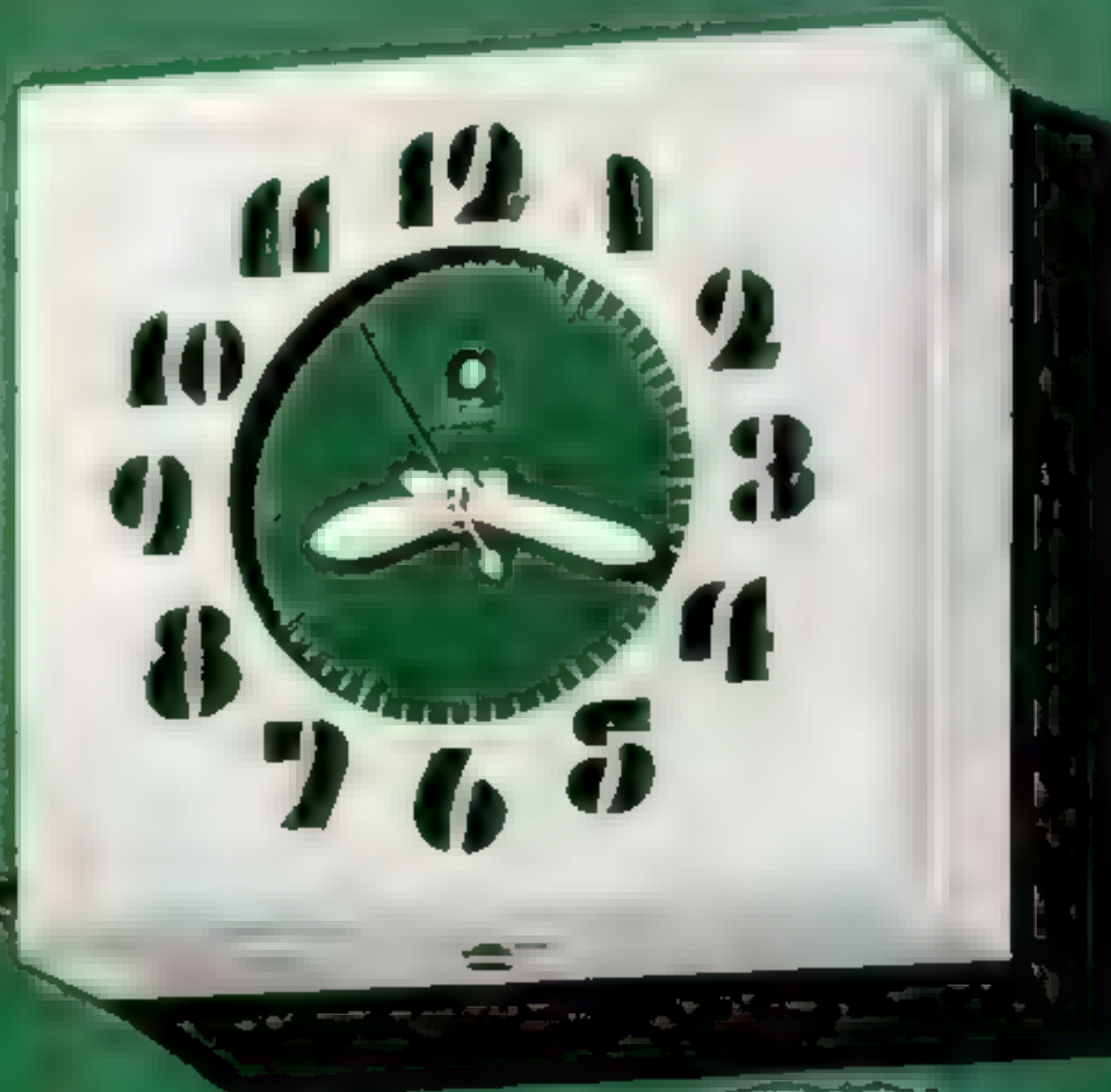


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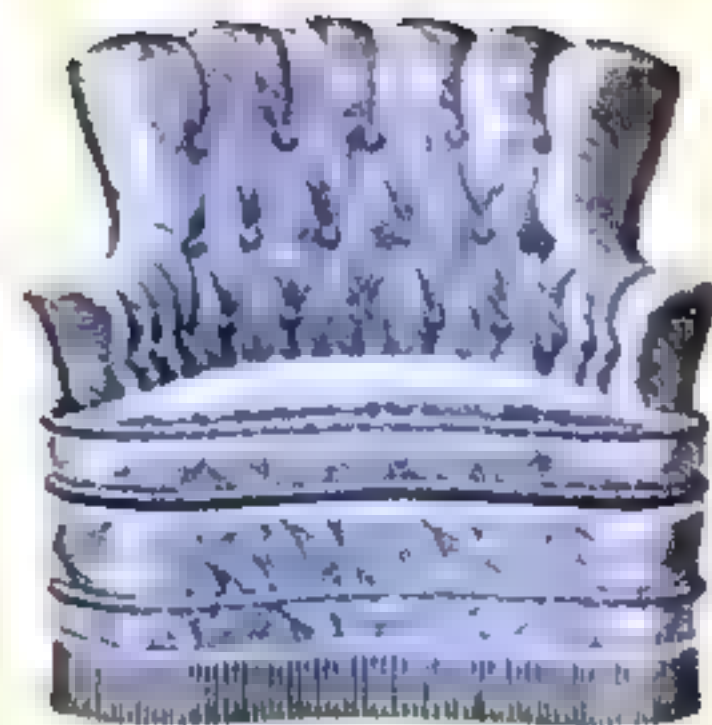
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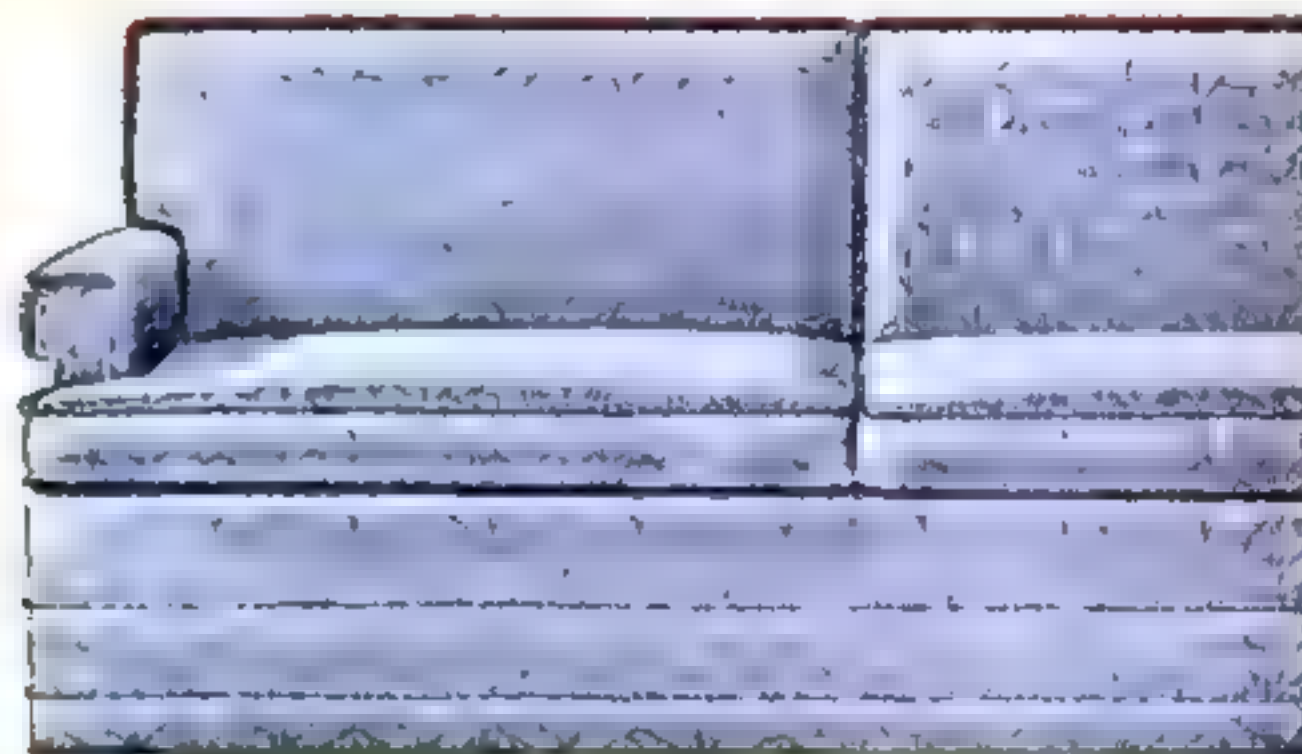




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A FLEET of more than 600 ships was brought together for invasion of French North Africa in November 1942. Most of these ships sailed from British ports but some came combat-loaded from the U.S. This operation was the largest amphibious undertaking ever attempted up to that time. Richard Euriach's painting (right) shows the vast armada at sea.



THE WAR MEMOIRS OF WINSTON CHURCHILL

# THE GREAT OFFENSIVE BEGINS IN AFRICA

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After victories, politics: Churchill now tells the full story of Casablanca and the famous "unconditional surrender" policy

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ON August 19th, 1942 I paid another visit to the Desert Front. I drove with Alexander in his car out from Cairo past the Pyramids, about 150 miles through the desert to the sea at Abusir. I was cheered by all he told me. As the shadows lengthened we reached Montgomery's headquarters at Burg el'Arab. Here the afterwards famous caravan was drawn up amid the sand-dunes by the sparkling waves. The General gave me his own wagon, divided between office and bedroom. After our long drive we all had a delicious bathe. "All the armies are bathing now at this hour all along the coast," said Montgomery as we stood in our towels. He waved his arm to the westward. Three hundred yards away about a thousand of our men were disporting themselves naked on the beach. I asked jokingly, "Why do the War Office go to the expense of sending out white bathing drawers for the troops? Surely this economy should be made." They were in fact tanned and burnt to the darkest brown everywhere except where they wore the short pants which were their usual day-long garb.

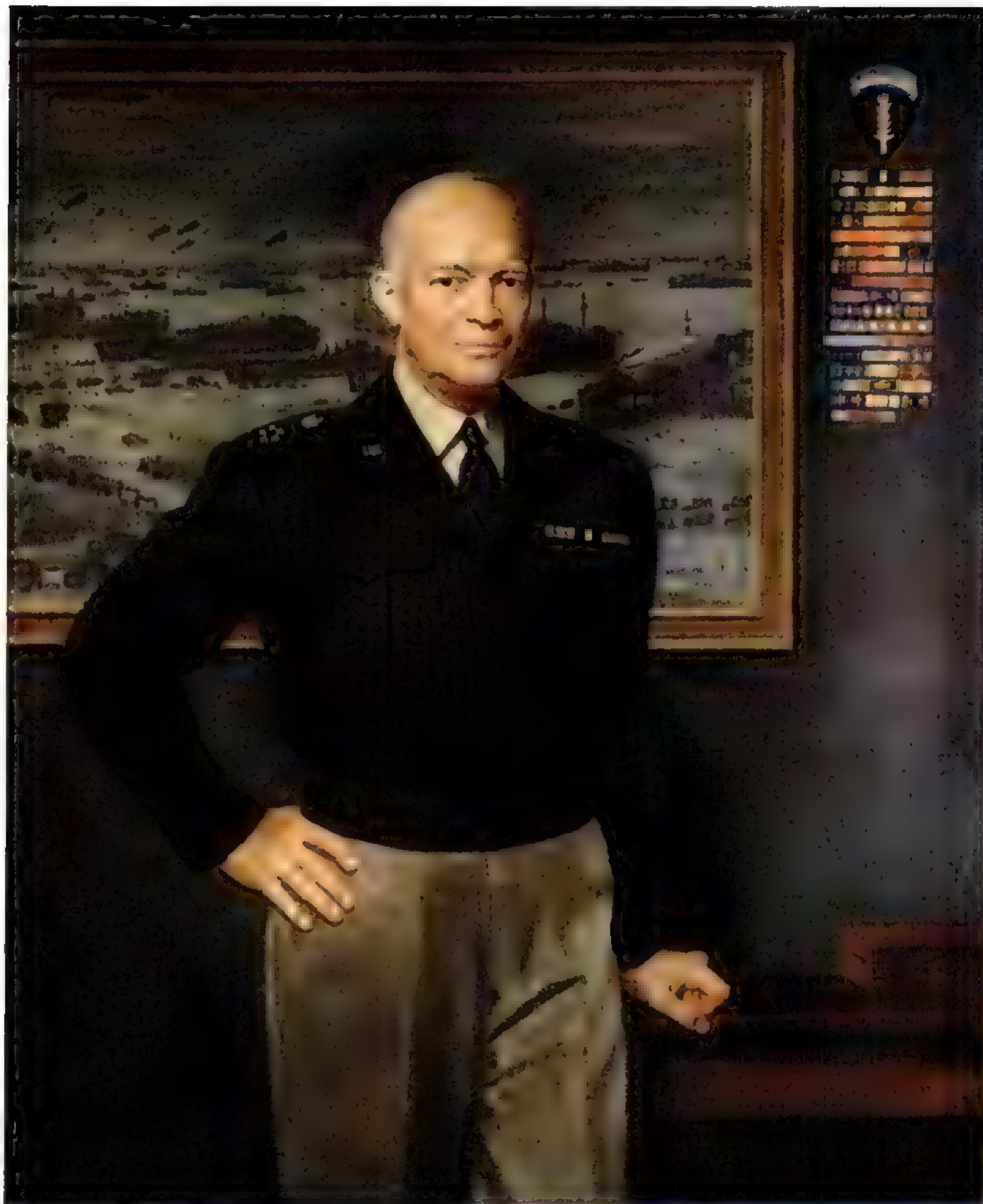
How fashions change! When I marched to Omdurman forty-four years before the theory was that the African sun must at all costs be kept away from the skin. The rules were strict. Special spine-pads

were buttoned on to the back of all our khaki coats. It was a military offence to appear without a pith helmet. We were advised to wear thick underclothing, following Arab custom enjoined by a thousand years of experience. Yet now half-way through the twentieth century many of the white soldiers went about their daily toil hatless and naked except for the equal of a loin cloth. Apparently it did them no harm. Though the process of changing from white to bronze took several weeks and gradual application, sunstroke and heatstroke were rare. I wonder how the doctors explain all this.

After we had dressed for dinner—my zip hardly takes a minute to put on—we gathered in Montgomery's map wagon, and he explained in detail his plans for the offensive battle. [The broad outlines for this campaign, as related in a previous instalment of Mr. Churchill's memoirs, had been discussed more than a week before when he stopped in Cairo for that purpose before proceeding to Moscow. The conversations here described took place on Churchill's return to Cairo from Russia.—ED.]

On August 20 we sallied forth early to see the prospective battlefield and the gallant troops who were to hold it. Although of course no gatherings of troops could be allowed under the enemy's continuous





GENERAL OF THE ARMY DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER

"There are a couple of American officers the President would like you to meet. . . ." In this casual way, one day after lunch in the White House during Mr. Churchill's 1942 visit to the U.S., Harry Hopkins made an appointment for the British Prime Minister to meet Major Generals Dwight D. Eisenhower and Mark Clark. "I was immediately impressed by these remarkable but hitherto unknown men," Mr. Churchill writes. "Thus began a friendship which across the ups and downs of war I have

preserved with deep satisfaction to this day." The talk at their first meeting was mostly about a cross-Channel invasion of Europe. Two years later Eisenhower was the Supreme Commander of such an operation, but before that his leadership of combined forces was tested in the Anglo-American invasion of North Africa described in this issue by Mr. Churchill. This portrait of General Eisenhower was only recently completed by Thomas E. Stephens as one of a series commissioned for West Point.



## CHURCHILL'S MEMOIRS CONTINUED

air reconnaissance, I saw a great many soldiers that day, who greeted me with grins and cheers. I inspected my own regiment, the 4th Hussars, near the field cemetery, in which a number of their comrades had been newly buried. All this was moving. Everybody said what a change there was since Montgomery had taken command. I could feel the truth of this with joy and comfort.

We were to lunch with Bernard Freyberg. My mind went back to his battlepost in Flanders a quarter of a century before. Then he had blithely offered to take me for a walk along his outposts. But knowing him and knowing the line as I did, I declined. Now



"WHITE BATHING DRAWERS"

Mr. Churchill recalls that the British soldiers he saw surf-bathing in North Africa, like the two above, seemed to be wearing "white bathing drawers." They were deeply tanned everywhere except where they were protected by the shorts they wore during the day.

it was the other way round. I certainly hoped to see at least a forward observation post of these splendid New Zealanders. But Bernard Freyberg flatly refused to take the responsibility.

Instead we went into his sweltering mess tent. This was an August noonday in the desert. The set piece of the meal was a scalding broth of tinned New Zealand oysters, to which I could do no more than was civil. Presently Montgomery drove up. Freyberg went out to salute him, and told him that he was expected to luncheon. But "Monty" had, it appeared, made it a rule not to accept hospitality from any of his subordinate commanders. So he sat outside in his car eating an austere sandwich and drinking his lemonade with all formalities. Napoleon also might have stood aloof in the interests of discipline. *Dur aux grands* [hard on the great ones] was one of his maxims. But he would certainly have had an excellent roast chicken, served him from his own *fourgon*. Marlborough would have entered and quaffed the good wine with his officers—Cromwell, I think, too. The technique varies, and the results seem to have been good in all these cases.

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## CHURCHILL ON POSTWAR PLANS

In October 1942 the Foreign Office sent Mr. Churchill a document proposing that a four-power council—including the U.S., Great Britain, Russia and China—be set up as a supreme world organization after the war. Here are Mr. Churchill's notes on this idea: "We cannot . . . tell what sort of a Russia and what kind of Russian demands we shall have to face. A little later on it may be possible. As to China, I cannot regard the Chungking Government as representing a great world-Power. Certainly there would be a faggot-vote on the side of the United States in any attempt to liquidate the British overseas Empire. . . ."

"It would be a measureless disaster if Russian barbarism overlaid the culture and independence of the ancient States of Europe. Hard as it is to say now, I trust that the European family may act unitedly as one under a Council of Europe. . . . Of course, we shall have to work with the Americans in many ways, and in the greatest ways, but Europe is our prime care. . . ."



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When on August 24 I returned from Cairo to London, much remained to be decided about the final shaping of our plans, and on the following day Generals Eisenhower and Clark came to dine with me. I was at this time in very close and agreeable contact with these American officers. From the moment they arrived in June I had arranged a weekly luncheon at Number 10 on Tuesdays. I was nearly always alone with them, and we talked all our affairs over as if we were all of one country. I set great value on these personal contacts. Irish stew turned out to be very popular with my American guests, and especially with General Eisenhower. My wife was nearly always able to get this. I soon began to call him "Ike." For Mark Clark and Bedell Smith, the latter

of whom arrived early in September as Chief of Staff to Eisenhower, I coined the titles "the American Eagle" and "the American Bulldog." You have to look at their photographs to see why.

One of General Eisenhower's aides-de-camp has suggested in his book that all these meetings were a great burden upon the already overworked American officers. If this be true they showed great politeness and address in concealing their feelings. Anyhow, I am sure these close relationships were necessary for the conduct of the war. At one of our meetings on September 28, I certainly rendered a service to Bedell Smith and his chief. It was not very late at night, but I noticed that "the Beetle" looked frightfully tired and ill. There was a moment when I thought he was going to faint and fall off his chair. I asked Eisenhower to come alone with me into the Cabinet room. I closed the door and said, "If you want Bedell in this battle you should send him to hospital this very night, no matter what he says." Eisenhower acted with his customary decision. Next day Bedell Smith was in hospital. He had to have two blood transfusions in the next two days, and was kept a fortnight from all work and mostly in bed.

Serious divergences opened between the British and American Staffs on "Torch," our plan to invade French North Africa. The United States Chiefs of Staff disliked very much the idea of committing themselves to large operations beyond the Straits of Gibraltar.

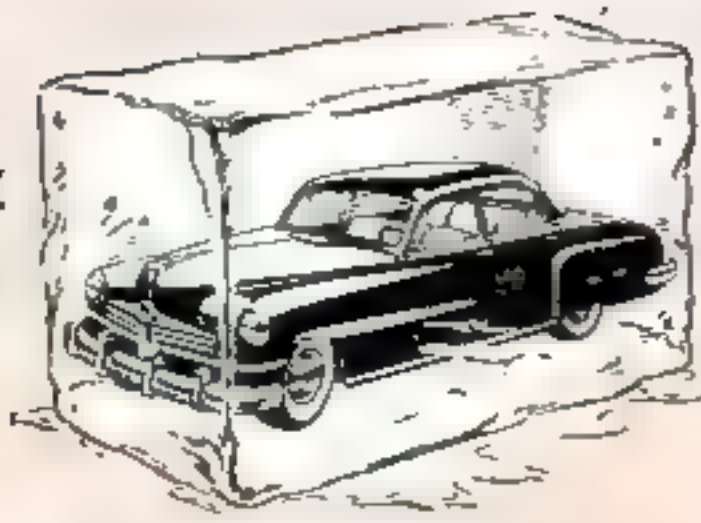
It was found necessary that very large numbers of the troops, the bulk of the transportation, at least an equal contribution in the air, and two-thirds of the naval force engaged would have to be British. I did not wholly share the American view that either they were so beloved by Vichy or we so hated as to make the difference between fighting and submission, but I was very willing that we should keep as much in the background as was physically



#### PRELUDE TO

"General Montgomery," says Churchill, "was a great artilleryman. He believed, as Bernard Shaw said of Napoleon, that cannons kill

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possible. I would even have agreed to such British troops as had to be used in the first assaults wearing American uniform.

The differences between the British and American views had to be ironed out in correspondence between President Roosevelt and Churchill. Agreement was not reached until early in September.

President Roosevelt to Prime Minister.

Sept. 5, 1942

"Hurrah!"

Former Naval Person to President Roosevelt.

Sept. 6, 1942

"O.K., full blast."

The period of waiting was one of suppressed but extreme tension. I had now been twenty-eight months at the head of affairs, during which we had sustained an almost unbroken series of military defeats. We were alive and at bay; but that was all. Was it strange that the whole character and system of the war direction, for which I was responsible, should have been brought into question and challenge?



"EAGLE" CLARK

It is indeed remarkable that I was not in this bleak lull dismissed from power or confronted with demands for changes in my methods, which it was known I should never accept. I should then have vanished from the scene with a load of calamity on my shoulders, and the harvest, at last to be reaped, would have been ascribed to my belated disappearance. For the whole aspect of the war was about to be transformed. We had reached the top of the pass, and our road to victory was not only sure and certain, but accompanied by constant cheering events. I was not denied the right to share in this new phase of the war because of the unity and strength of the War Cabinet, the confidence which I preserved of my political and professional colleagues, the steadfast loyalty of Parliament, and the persisting goodwill of the nation. All this shows how much luck there is in human affairs, and how little we should worry about anything except doing our best.

On Oct. 23 the decisive offensive against Rommel was set in motion in Egypt. By early November the Axis forces, severely beaten when they tried to make a stand at El Alamein, were in full retreat westward across the North African shore.

Prime Minister to General Alexander.

Nov. 4, 1942

"I send you my heartfelt congratulations on the splendid feat of arms achieved by the Eighth Army. . . . If . . . wholesale captures of the enemy and a general retreat are apparent, I propose to ring the bells all over Britain for the first time this war. . . . At least 20,000 prisoners would be necessary. . . ."

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## EL ALAMEIN

men." At El Alamein, Montgomery had guns lay down a murderous creeping barrage at night (above) before his infantry advanced.

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## CHURCHILL'S MEMOIRS CONTINUED

General Alexander to Prime Minister. Nov. 6, 1942

"Ring out the bells! Prisoners estimated now 20,000. . . ."

Recalling what happened after Cambrai in 1917,\* I decided on second thoughts not to ring the bells till after "Torch," now on the verge, had begun successfully.

The Battle of Alamein differed from all previous fighting in the Desert. The front was limited, heavily fortified, and held in strength. There was no flank to turn. A break-through must be made by whoever was the stronger and wished to take the offensive.

The Battle of Alamein will ever make a glorious page in British military annals. It marked in fact the turning of "the Hinge of Fate." It may almost be said, "Before Alamein we never had a victory. After Alamein we never had a defeat."

The invasion of French North Africa, beginning successfully with landings on Nov. 8 at various points on the Atlantic and Mediterranean coasts, got the Allies mired in French politics. Admiral Darlan, Pétain's deputy in the Vichy collaborationist government, was in North Africa at the time. General de Gaulle's Free French movement was not brought into the operation, the Allies having decided to put General Henri Giraud in charge of liberated French forces in Africa. It developed that Giraud had no authority in the eyes of the French, and that Darlan did, so Eisenhower "recognized" Darlan as *de facto* head in French North Africa. His cease-fire orders issued to local commanders were obeyed, but there was widespread criticism of this "deal" with a collaborator.

Passion ran high in England about the Darlan deal. It affected poignantly some of my friends who had been most affronted by Munich, with whose impulses I had moved at crucial moments before the war. "Is this then what we are fighting for?" they asked. Certainly there was a real and vivid case to be made and to be met. At the same time the facts could not be stated nor the arguments deployed in public. While in my own mind I never had the slightest doubt that it was my duty to support General Eisenhower and to save the lives of the soldiers committed to the enterprise, I was acutely sensitive to the opposite argument.

On December 9 I voiced my disquiet to the President: "I have been disturbed by reports received during the last few days from North Africa about conditions in French Morocco and Algeria. . . . These reports show that . . . Fascist organisations continue their activities and victimise our former French sympathisers, some of whom have not yet been released from prison. . . . Not only have our enemies been thus encouraged, but our friends have been correspondingly confused and cast down. There have been cases of French soldiers being punished for desertion because they tried to support the Allied forces during their landing. . . ."

The mounting pressures in the circles of which I was conscious led me to seek refuge in Secret Session of the House of Commons. The speech which I then made was conceived with the sole purpose of changing the prevailing opinion.

Only the conclusion of this extraordinary speech is printed here. The full text was published in *LIFE* (Feb. 4, 1946) as one of an exclusive series of Churchill's secret wartime speeches. In it Mr. Churchill defended Eisenhower's "deal" with Darlan as a military expedient that was able to save lives because it took cognizance of tradition-minded French bureaucracy's belief in "authority." He concluded:

"I must say I think he is a poor creature with a jaundiced outlook and disorganised loyalties who in all this tremendous African episode, West and East alike, can find no point to excite his interest except the arrangements made between General Eisenhower and Admiral Darlan. The struggle for the Tunisian tip is now rising to its climax and the main battle impends. Another trial of strength is very near on the frontiers of Cyrenaica. Both these battles will be fought almost entirely by soldiers from this

\*The bells were rung in London on Nov. 21, 1917 to celebrate a British victory at Cambrai. Ten days later the British public was horrified to learn of a successful German counterattack in that region.—ED.

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### ROOSEVELT AND CHURCHILL AT CASABLANCA

This historic picture was taken in the gardens of the Hotel Anfa in Casablanca on Jan. 24, 1943. It shows Roosevelt telling a press conference that the Allies would insist on "unconditional surrender" from the Axis nations. This was the first public utterance of a policy that has been hotly debated ever since. Mr. Churchill, recalling in this instalment of

his memoirs the part he played in the formulation of this policy, remembers also a lighter side of the press conference: "The fact that the President and I were at Casablanca had been a well-kept secret. When the Press reporters saw us both they could scarcely believe their eyes, and, when they were told we had been there for nearly a fortnight, their ears."





CHURCHILL PAINTED this view while at Marrakesh. It was the only painting he attempted during the war. The

same scene, looking across Marrakesh to the Atlas Mountains, is shown in a photograph at bottom left on this page.

## "THE PARIS OF THE SAHARA"

After the Casablanca Conference, Churchill and Roosevelt took time off from the war to visit Marrakesh. "My description of Marrakesh," Mr. Churchill writes, "was 'the Paris of the Sahara,' where caravans had come from Central Africa . . . to be heavily taxed . . . and afterwards swindled . . . receiving the return, which they greatly valued, of the gay life of the city, including fortune-tellers, snake-charmers, masses of food and drink, and on the whole the largest and most elaborately organised brothels in the African continent. All these institutions were of long and ancient repute."



WHAT CHURCHILL SAW from balcony of the Taylor villa is shown in this picture, taken on a day when heat haze obscured the mountains.



"A MOST DELIGHTFUL VILLA" is Churchill's description of the house in which he and Roosevelt lived during their stay at Marrakesh.





CHURCHILL'S BEDROOM at Marrakesh was a classic of Moorish style, with a tent of mosquito netting over the bed. It is one of six master

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Island. . . . I cannot take my thoughts away from them and their fortunes, and I expect that will be the feeling of the House of Commons. . . .

"I ask them to treat with proper reprobation that small, busy, and venomous band who harbour and endeavour to propagate unworthy and unfounded suspicions, and so to come forward unitedly with us in all the difficulties through which we are steadfastly and successfully making our way."

I do not remember any speech out of hundreds which I made where I felt opinion change so palpably and decisively. The fact that all further Parliamentary opposition stopped after the Secret Session quenched the hostile Press and reassured the country. There was also the growing exhilaration of victory after so many hard months of disappointment or defeat.

On the afternoon of December 24, Darlan was shot down by a young man of twenty named Bonnier de la Chapelle. There was no open support in Algiers for his act. He was tried by court-martial under Giraud's orders, and, much to his surprise, was executed by a firing squad shortly after dawn on December 26.

### CHURCHILL ON DAYLIGHT BOMBING

At Casablanca, Mr. Churchill had a talk with General Ira Eaker, Commanding General of U.S. Air Forces in England, about the British-American argument on the merits of daylight *vs.* night bombing. General Eaker, Mr. Churchill recalls, "stated the case for the daylight Fortress bomber with forceful earnestness, and pointed out what immense preparations had already been made in England. . . . I pointed out in reply that . . . so far they had never thrown a single bomb on Germany by their daylight methods, except perhaps on one occasion. . . . Eaker however pleaded his cause with skill and tenacity. . . . Give them a month or two more and they would come into action on an ever-increasing scale. Considering how much had been staked on this venture by the United States and all they felt about it, I decided to back Eaker and his theme, and I turned round completely and withdrew all my opposition to the daylight bombing by the Fortresses. He was much pleased with this, because he had feared that his own Government had already lost a good deal of faith in the daylight bombing method. They went ahead and soon began to pay dividends. All the same, I still think that if at the beginning they had put their money on night bombing we should have reached our climax much sooner. General Eaker afterwards said on several occasions that I saved the Fortress bombers from abandonment. . . . If this is true I saved them by leaving off opposing them."

Darlan's murder, however criminal, relieved the Allies of their embarrassment at working with him, and at the same time left them with all the advantages he had been able to bestow during the vital hours of the Allied landings.

Few men have paid more heavily for errors of judgment and failure of character than Admiral Darlan. Let him rest in peace, and let us all be thankful we have never had to face the trials under which he broke.

**T**HERE came a definite check and setback in North Africa. With the arrival of German troops in large numbers by air in Tunis a high-class, stubborn, and violent resistance began. Now came the rainy season. It poured. Our improvised airfields became quagmires. The German Air Force, though not yet strong in numbers, worked from good all-weather airfields.

At a conference on Christmas Eve General Eisenhower decided to give up the plan for the immediate capture of Tunis and, until campaigning could begin again, to guard his forward airfields on the general line already gained.

Meanwhile Roosevelt and Churchill had been corresponding about holding a conference which they hoped Stalin might be induced to attend. On Nov. 26 Churchill cabled Roosevelt:

" . . . Stalin talked to me in Moscow in the sense of being willing to come to meet you and me somewhere this winter, and he

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mentioned Iceland. . . . Apart from the climate, there is a lot to be said for a new triple Atlantic Conference in Iceland. Our ships might lie together . . . and we would place a suitable ship at Stalin's disposal wearing the Soviet flag *pro tem*. . . . What about proposing it for January? By that time Africa should be cleared and the great battle in South Russia decided.

"I may add that if ever I can persuade you to come to Iceland I shall never be satisfied unless you look in on this small place before returning."

President Roosevelt to Former Naval Person. Dec. 3, 1942

" . . . Iceland or Alaska are impossible for me at this time of year, and I believe equally so for Stalin. I should prefer a secure place south of Algiers or in or near Khartoum. I don't like mosquitoes. . . . I prefer a comfortable oasis to the raft at Tilsit."\*

Former Naval Person to President Roosevelt. Dec. 3, 1942

" . . . everything hangs on whether 'Barkis is willin'."

Stalin proved unwilling.

The President now sent me a very genial letter: " . . . On the



### DINNER PARTY IN MOROCCO

During the Casablanca Conference, President Roosevelt gave a dinner party in his villa for the Sultan of Morocco, shown above sitting on the couch with his host and Winston Churchill. Standing are, from left: Major General George S. Patton; Robert D. Murphy, F.D.R.'s political representative in North Africa; Presidential Assistant Harry Hopkins; the Crown Prince; General Auguste Nogues, Resident General of French Morocco; Grand Vizier; the Chief of Protocol of Morocco; Lieut. Colonel Elliott Roosevelt; Presidential Naval Aide Captain John L. McCrea.

grounds of vile climate and icing on the wings, Iceland must be definitely out for both of us.

"England must be out for me for political reasons.

"There will be a commotion in this country if it is discovered that I have flown across any old seas. . . . However, on condition that I can get away in absolute secrecy and have my trip kept secret until I get back, I have just about made up my mind to go along with the African idea—on the theory that public opinion here will gasp, but be satisfied when they hear about it after it is over. . . .

"Incidentally also, it would do me personally an enormous amount of good to get out of the political atmosphere of Washington for a couple of weeks.

"My thought is, therefore, that if the time suits your plans we could meet back of Algiers or back of Casablanca about January 15th. I asked General Bedell Smith, who left here four or five days ago, to check up confidentially on some possible tourist oasis as far from any city . . . as possible. One of the dictionaries says 'an oasis is never wholly dry.' Good old dictionary! . . ."

I hastened to reply: "Yes, certainly. The sooner the better. . . . Suggested code-name 'Symbol'."

The President and I now had a number of agreeable inter-

\*Where Napoleon met Czar Alexander in 1807.—ED.



changes on questions of security. He proposed to call himself "Admiral Q."

*Former Naval Person to President.*

Jan. 3, 1943

"However did you think of such an impenetrable disguise? In order to make it even harder for the enemy and to discourage irreverent guesswork, propose Admiral Q and Mr. P.

"N.B.—We must mind our P's and Q's.

"De Gaulle. I think it far better his visit should be postponed till 'Torch' affairs are 'Symbolised'."

On January 12 I left for North Africa. My journey by air was a little anxious. In order to heat the "Commando" they had established a petrol engine inside which generated fumes and raised various heating points to very high temperatures. I was woken up at two in the morning, when we were over the Atlantic 500 miles from anywhere, by one of these heating points burning my toes, and it looked to me as if it might soon get red-hot and light the blankets. I therefore climbed out of my bunk, looked around the cabin and found two others, which seemed equally on the verge of becoming red-hot. I decided that it was better to freeze than to burn, and I ordered all heating to be turned off, and went back to rest shivering in the ice-cold winter air about eight thousand feet up. I am bound to say this struck me as rather an unpleasant moment.

When we got to Casablanca we found beautiful arrangements made. I and the Staff were there two days before the President arrived. I had some nice walks on the rocks and the beach. Wonderful waves rolling in, enormous clouds of foam, made one marvel that anybody could have got ashore at the landing.

The President arrived in the afternoon of the 14th. It gave me intense pleasure to see my great colleague here on conquered or liberated territory which he and I had secured in spite of the advice given him by all his military experts.

Neither I nor the President attended the Staff conferences, but we were informed of the whole position and consulted with our own officers every day. The differences did not run along national lines, but were principally between the Chiefs of Staff and Joint Planners. I was myself sure that Sicily should be the next step, and the Combined Chiefs of Staff took the same view. The Joint Planners, on the other hand, together with Lord Mountbatten, felt that we should attack Sardinia rather than Sicily, because they thought it could be done three months earlier. I insisted on Sicily. The Joint Planners, respectful but persistent, then said that this could not be done until August 30. At this stage I personally went through all the figures with them, and thereafter the President and I gave orders that D-Day was to be during the favourable July moon period (or, if possible, the favourable June moon period). In the event, the airborne troops went in on the night of July 9, and the landings started on the morning of July 10.

THE question was then raised about de Gaulle. I was now most anxious for him to come, and the President agreed. The General was very haughty and refused several times. I then got Eden to put the utmost pressure upon him. It is very odd to see the account which the President's son, Elliott Roosevelt, gives of this in the book which he hastened to write about the confidential talks he heard at the meals to which he was brought by his father. He seems to suggest that the President suspected me of trying to stop de Gaulle coming, and objecting to his being brought there, whereas I was putting the utmost pressure possible to get him to come. This rubbish has had a wide and long currency.

At last on January 22 de Gaulle arrived. I had a very stony interview with him, making it clear that if he continued to be an obstacle we would not hesitate to break with him finally. He was very formal, and stalked out of the villa with his head high in the air. Eventually he was prevailed upon to have a talk with Giraud, which lasted for two or three hours and must have been extremely pleasant to both of them. In the afternoon he went to see the President, and to my relief they got on unexpectedly well. The President was attracted by "the spiritual look in his eyes"; but very little could be done to bring them into accord.

In these pages various severe statements, based on events of the moment, are set down about General de Gaulle, and certainly I had continuous difficulties and many sharp antagonisms with him. There was however a dominant element in our relationship.

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I knew he was no friend of England. But I always recognised in him the spirit and conception which, across the pages of history, the word "France" would ever proclaim. I understood and admired, while I resented, his arrogant demeanour. Here he was—a refugee, an exile from his country under sentence of death, in a position entirely dependent upon the goodwill of the British Government, and also now of the United States. The Germans had conquered his country. He had no real foothold anywhere. Never mind; he defied all. Always, even when he was behaving worst, he seemed to express the personality of France—a great nation, with all its pride, authority, and ambition. It was said in mockery that he thought himself the living representative of Joan of Arc. This did not seem to me as absurd as it looked.

Mr. Churchill now takes up the most controversial aspect of the work done by the Casablanca Conference. He recalls that on Jan. 20, 1943 he cabled to the War Cabinet in London as follows:

" . . . We propose to draw up a statement of the work of the conference for communication to the Press at the proper time. I should be glad to know what the War Cabinet would think of our including in this statement a declaration of the firm intention of the United States and the British Empire to continue the war relentlessly until we have brought about the 'unconditional surrender' of Germany and Japan. The omission of Italy would be to encourage a break-up there. . . ."

The reader should note the above message, as the use by the President at the meeting with the Press of the words "unconditional surrender" raised issues which will recur in this story and certainly be long debated. There is a school of thought, both in England and America, which argues that the phrase prolonged the war and played into the dictators' hands by driving their peoples and armies to desperation. Elliott Roosevelt asserts in his book that the words were used by the President at one of our dinners. I am reported by him to have "thought, frowned, thought, finally grinned, and at length announced 'Perfect,'" and also that the nightcap toast proposed by me that evening was "Unconditional surrender." I have no recollection of these private and informal interchanges where conversation was free and unguarded. The matter must certainly however have cropped up in my official talks with the President.

The records of the War Cabinet show that this was brought before them at their afternoon meeting on January 20. Their only wish was that Italy should not be omitted from its scope. I do not remember anything that passed between me and the President on the subject after I received the Cabinet message, and it is quite possible that the matter was not further referred to between us. Meanwhile the official joint statement was being prepared by our advisers and by the Chiefs of Staff. There is no mention in it of "unconditional surrender." It was with some feeling of surprise that I heard the President say at the Press Conference on January 24 that we would enforce "unconditional surrender" upon all our enemies. It was natural to suppose that the agreed communiqué had superseded anything said in conversation. In my speech which followed the President's I of course supported him and concurred in what he said. Any divergence between us, even by omission, would have been damaging or even dangerous to our war effort. I certainly take my share of the responsibility, together with the British War Cabinet.

The President's account to Hopkins seems however conclusive: "We had so much trouble getting those two French generals together that I thought to myself that this was as difficult as arranging the meeting of Grant and Lee—and then suddenly the Press Conference was on, and Winston and I had had no time to prepare for it, and the thought popped into my mind that they had called Grant 'Old Unconditional Surrender,' and the next thing I knew I had said it."

I do not feel that this frank statement is in any way weakened by the fact that the phrase occurs in the notes from which he spoke.

Memories of the war may be vivid and true, but should never be trusted without verification, especially where the sequence of events is concerned. Mr. Bevin in the House of Commons on July 21, 1949, gave a lurid account of the difficulties he had had to encounter in rebuilding Germany after the war through the policy

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of "unconditional surrender," on which he said neither he nor the War Cabinet had ever been consulted at the time. I replied on the spur of the moment, with equal inaccuracy and good faith, that the first time I heard the words was from the lips of the President at the Casablanca Press Conference. It was only when I got home and searched my archives that I found the facts as they have been set out here. I am reminded of the professor who in his declining hours was asked by his devoted pupils for his final counsel. He replied, "Verify your quotations."



FAMED HANDSHAKE of Generals de Gaulle and Giraud (left) reminded Churchill of a "shotgun" marriage.

My principal reason for opposing an alternative statement on peace terms was that a statement of the actual conditions on which the three great Allies would have insisted would have been far more repulsive to any German peace movement. I remember several attempts being made to draft peace conditions which would satisfy the wrath of the conquerors against Germany. They looked so terrible when set forth on paper, and so far exceeded what was in fact done, that their publication would only have stimulated German resistance.

At length, after ten days' work on the main issues, the Combined Chiefs of Staff reached agreement. It was settled that we should concentrate all upon taking Tunis, and that Alexander should be Eisenhower's deputy and virtually in charge of all the operations.

On the morning of the 24th, de Gaulle and Giraud were made to sit in a row of chairs alternating with the President and me, and we forced them to shake hands in public before all the reporters and photographers. They did so, and the pictures of this event cannot be viewed even in the setting of these tragic times without a laugh.

The President prepared to depart. But I said to him, "You cannot come all this way to North Africa without seeing Marrakesh (p. 98). Let us spend two days there. I must be with you when you see the sunset on the snows of the Atlas Mountains." So it was decided that we should all go to Marrakesh. The President and I drove together all the way, five hours, and talked a great deal of shop, but also touched on lighter matters. Many thousand American troops were posted along the road to protect us from any danger, and aeroplanes circled ceaselessly overhead. In the evening we had a very jolly dinner, about fifteen or sixteen, and we all sang songs. I sang, and the President joined in the choruses, and at one moment was about to try a solo. However, someone interrupted and I never heard this.

My illustrious colleague was to depart just after dawn on the 25th. He came round in the morning on the way to the aeroplane to say good-bye. I was in bed, but would not hear of letting him go to the airfield alone, so I jumped up and put on my zip, and nothing else except slippers, and in this informal garb I drove with him to the airfield, and went on the plane and saw him comfortably settled down, greatly admiring his courage under all his physical disabilities and feeling very anxious about the hazards he had to undertake.

## SHANGRI-LA, U.N. PLANS AND "STOMACH-TIME"

In next week's concluding instalment of the fourth volume of Churchill's war memoirs: the prime minister week ends at Shangri-La, and incurs the ire of Madame Chiang Kai-shek. . . . American political leaders hear him outline a postwar United Nations organization. . . . En route to Gibraltar, General Marshall proves himself a statesman and Churchill follows "stomach-time." . . . He sways a council of war at Algiers and wins cheers in a Roman amphitheater.





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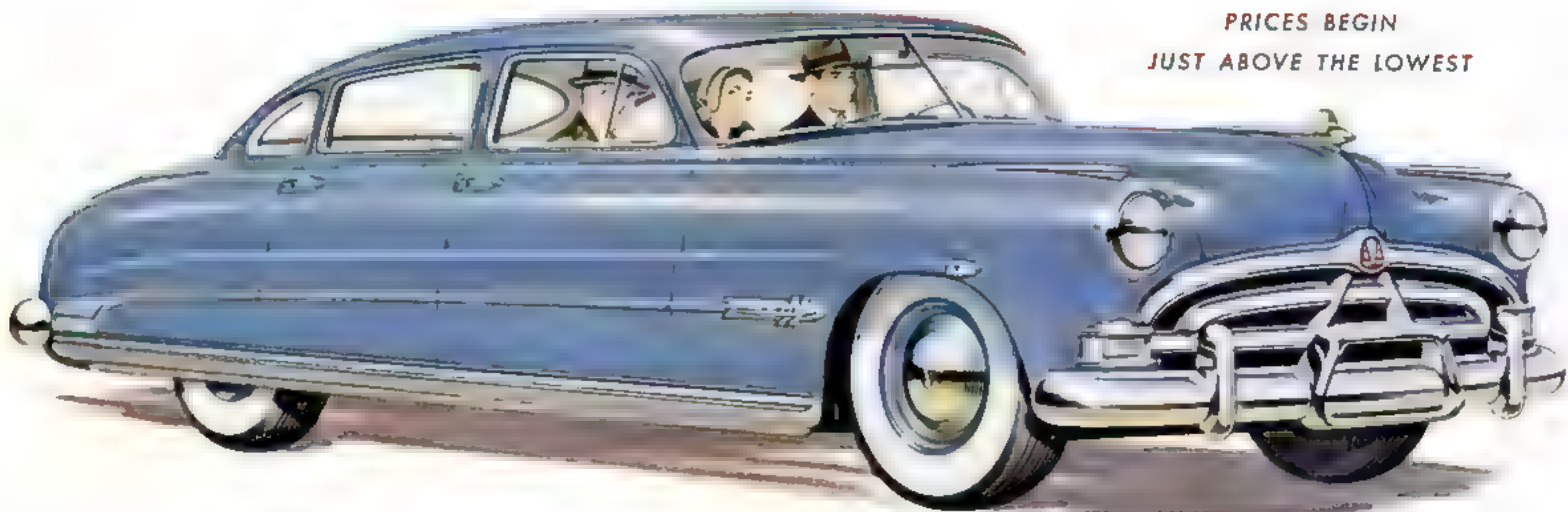
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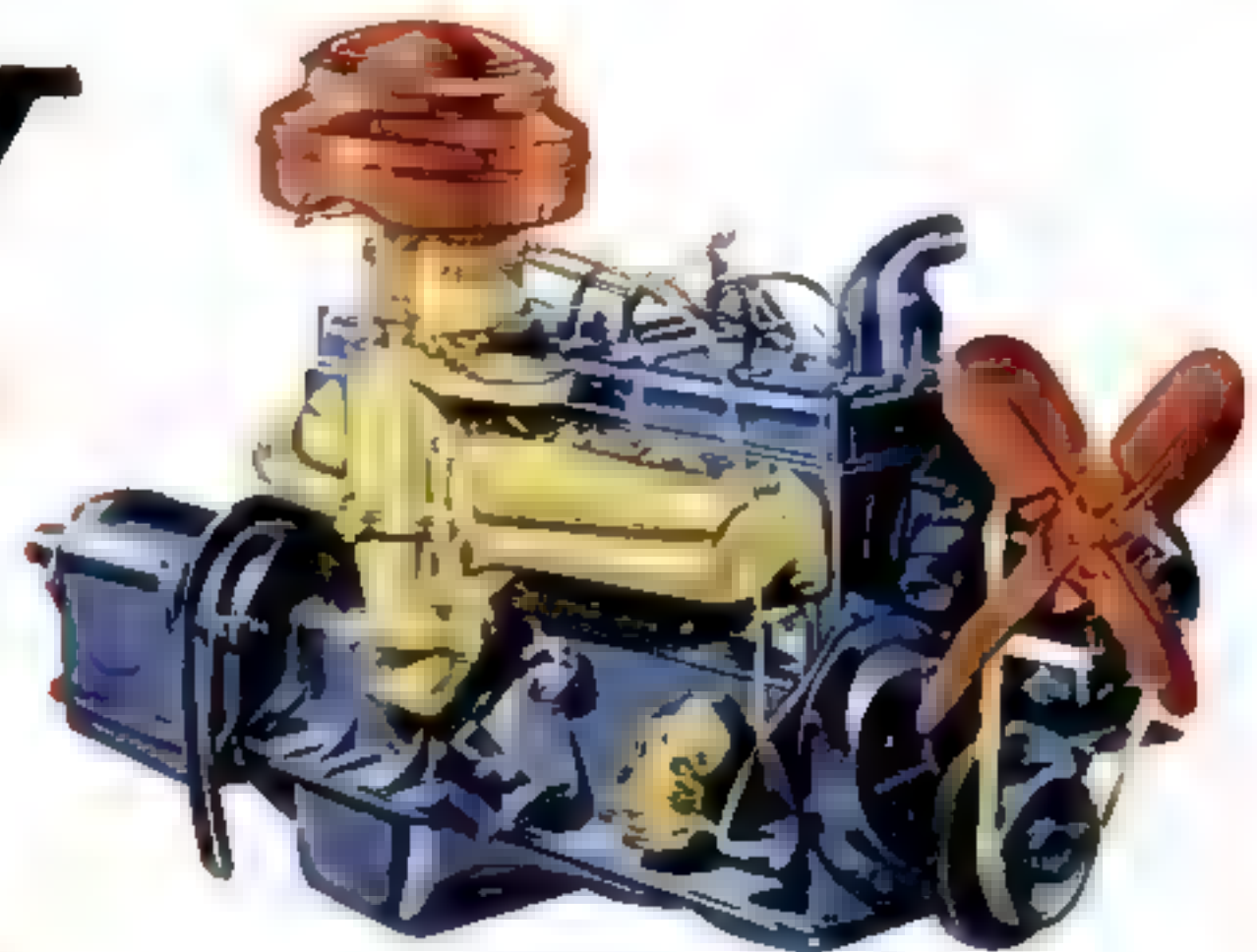
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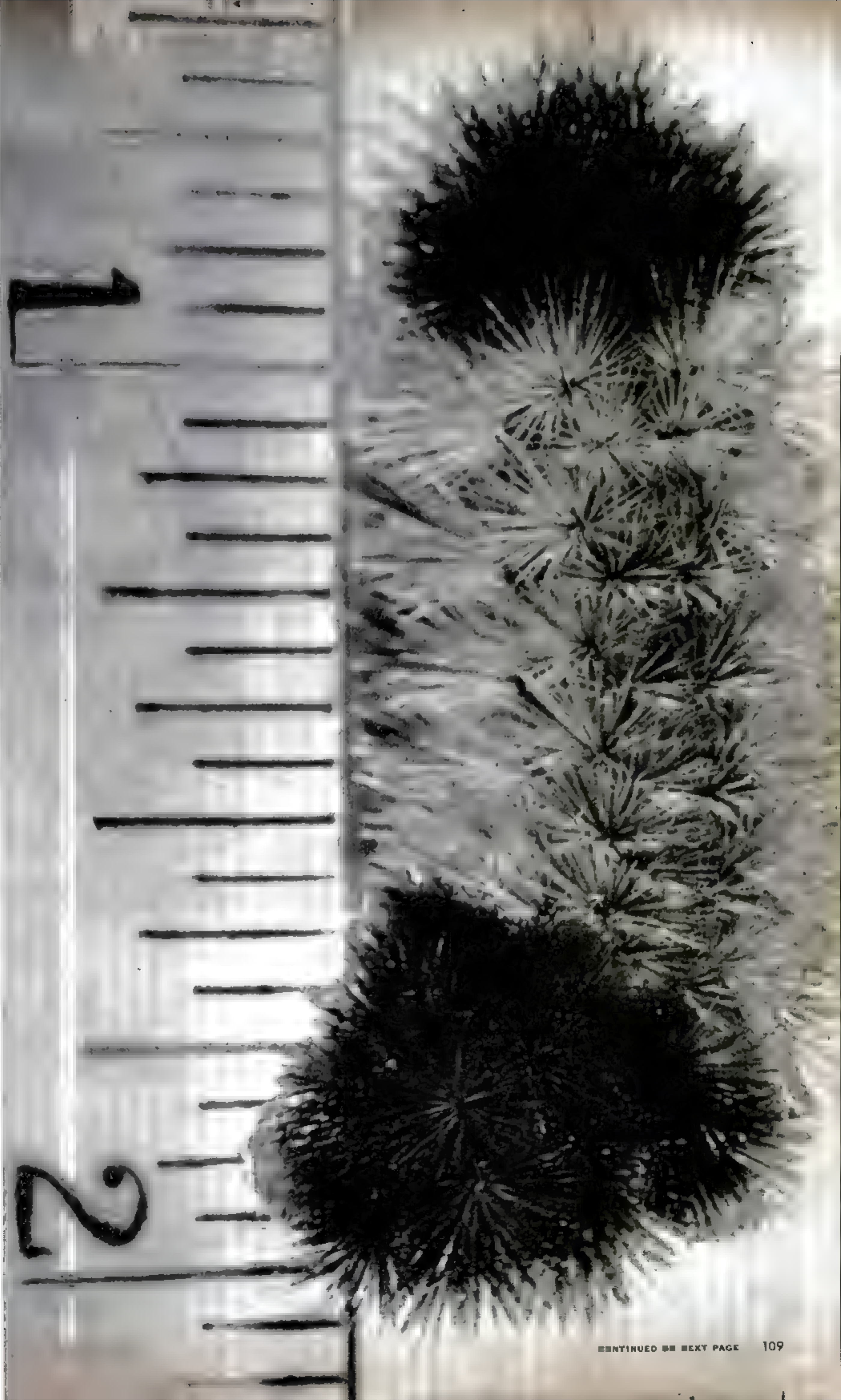
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had its worst recorded snow storm in 76 years. Mildly surprised, Dr. Curran returned to Bear Mountain next year. This time the bears had more brown segments, which meant a moderate winter. They were right again. Last fall the bands were wide and another mild winter followed. A few weeks ago Dr. Curran measured 60 woolly bears, like that shown nine times life-size above. Most of the caterpillars this year had six brown segments, portent of an easy winter.



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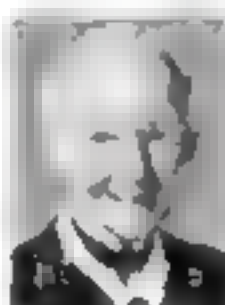
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At right (A), "Berkeley" Lawson Sofa in eggshell tapestry with bouclé trim.

At right (B), "Claremont" Sofa in green mohair frieze, with matching floor-length fringe.

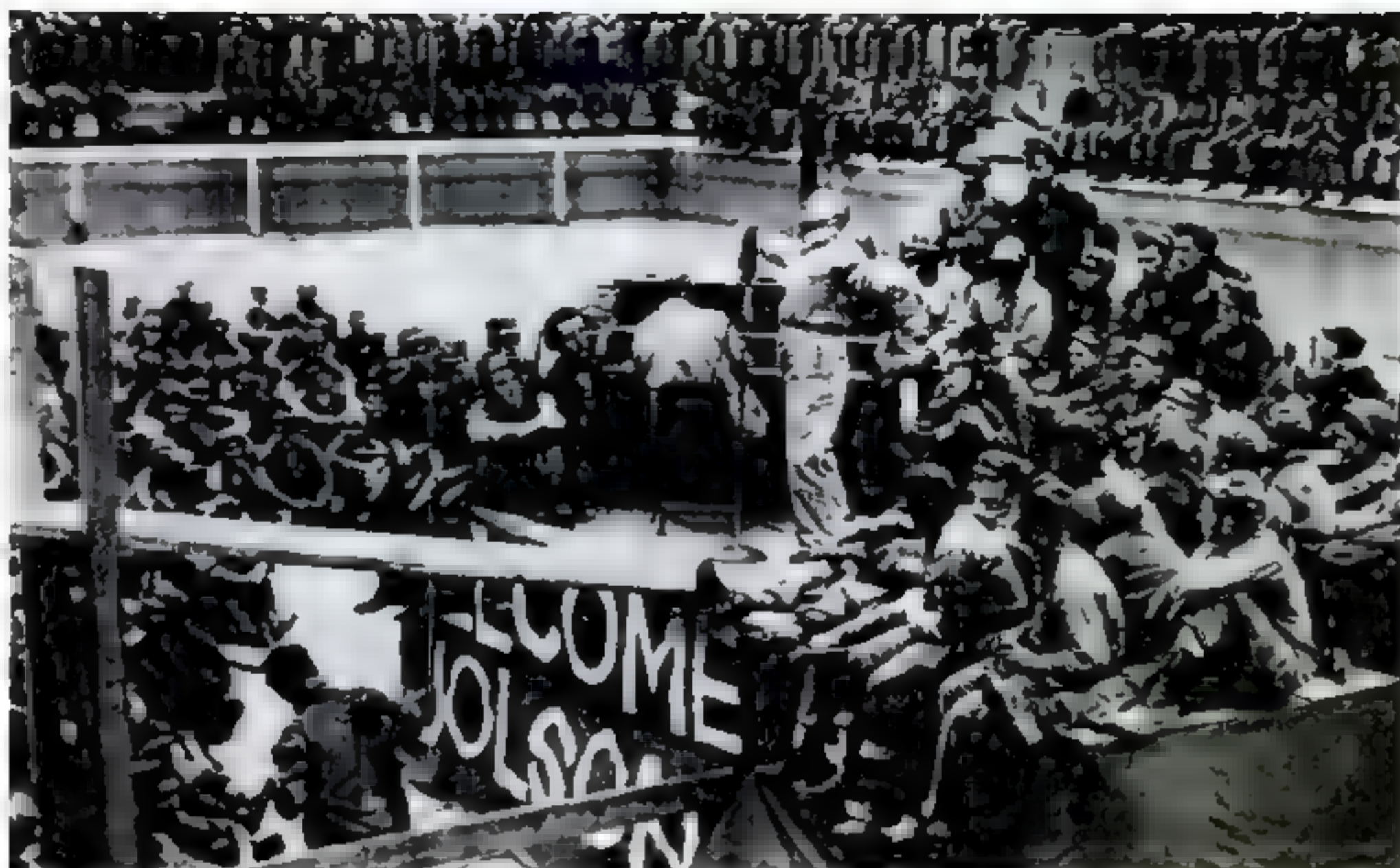


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## DEATH OF THE JAZZ SINGER

**Al Jolson, the great showman, ends a half-century career after a last tour of duty at Korean front**

Al Jolson died last week, of a heart attack following a strenuous tour of Korea where he was the first big-name entertainer to visit the troops. A mob of 20,000 people came to the funeral services in Hollywood, stormed police lines, sobbed with unashamed emotion. It was appropriate enough for Jolson, who never believed in hiding

his feelings. Some people who had never seen him on the stage or in his early movies wondered why he was so loved. Jolson had an overpowering gift for arousing excitement in theater audiences. Though he told jokes, he was not really a comedian. He was more like an oldtime tub-thumping preacher when he got down on his

knees to sing *Mammy* or threw his arms wide out in cheer-up songs like *April Showers*. Taken word by word, his messages were maudlin. But Jolson had a genuine affection for people and he spoke directly to the human heart. On his death he left over \$3 million to be distributed among people and institutions of all religions.



**STRAINING POLICEMEN** hold back part of crowd of 20,000 which came for a peek at Jolson's casket in front of Hollywood's Temple Israel, where the funeral

services were held. Jolson, whose real name was Asa Yoelson, was about 64 when the final heart attack came while he was playing gin rummy in San Francisco.



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## Al Jolson CONTINUED



"MAMMY!" cries Jolson in blackface with trombone-like sobs as he drops to his knees before the footlights. "I'd walk a million miles for one of your smiles, my mammy!" He sang this most famous of his numbers for the first time in 1921.



"THE JAZZ SINGER," the first movie to use the human voice, told a story which paralleled Jolson's own: an immigrant Jewish boy torn between the ritual observances of his rabbi father and his own impassioned love for jazz music.



"SONNY BOY!" he croons to David Lee in the 1928 movie, *The Singing Fool*. "When there are gray skies, I don't mind the gray skies, you make them blue, Sonny Boy," was the highest expression of Jolson's sentimental optimism.

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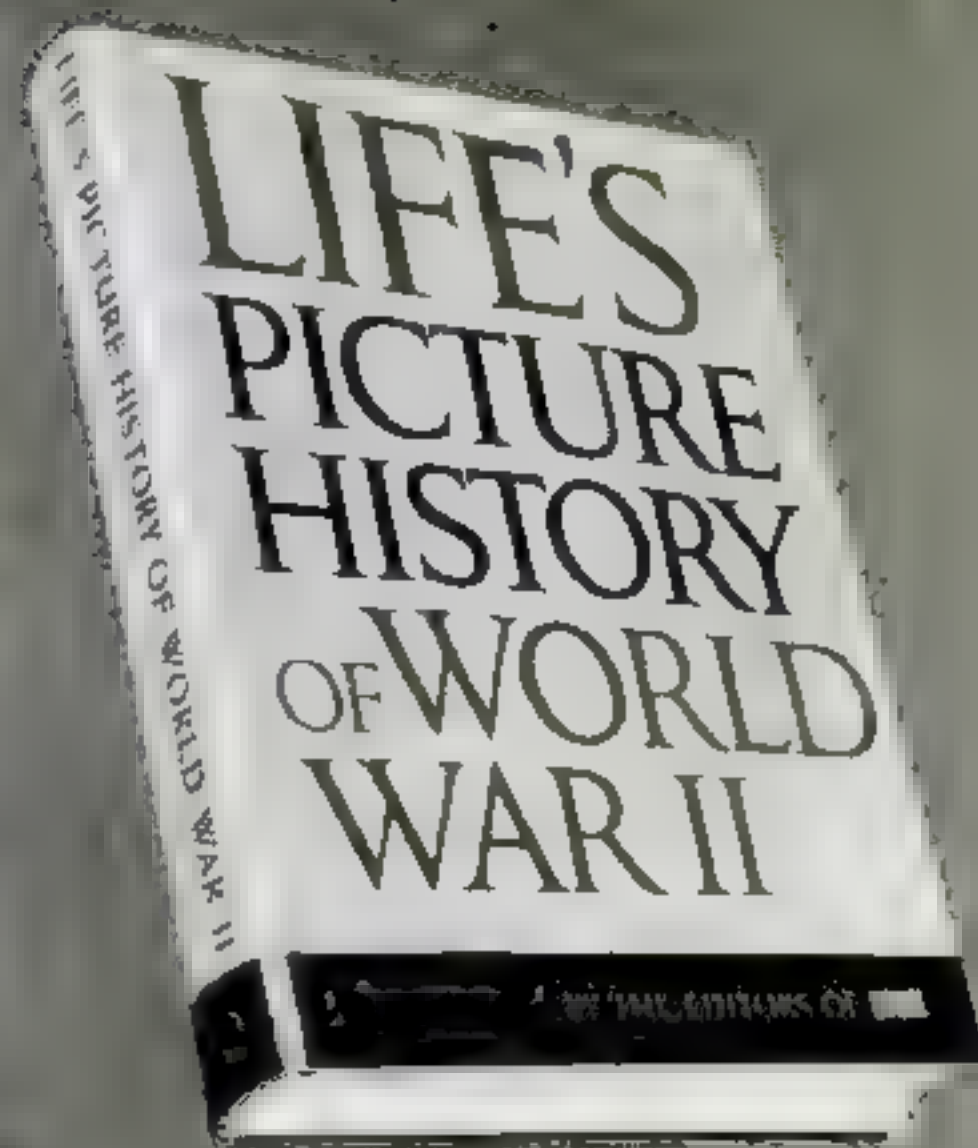
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The first thanks go to the more than 450,000 of you who ordered the book in advance of publication. Such interest in a book that no one had seen was a gratifying vote of confidence in those depressing days that always come just before a book goes to press.

Our warm appreciation goes, next, to those who have sent us letters of praise. To men like John Sutherland Bonnell, pastor of New York's Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church, who writes, "This is indeed a fascinating, informative and altogether thrilling book." To mothers like Mrs. Bertha E. Edwards of Pittsburgh, whose "copy eventually will belong to a little granddaughter whose daddy served in the war." To fathers like D. W. Brown of Mountain Top, Pa., who had five boys in World War II and says, "We would not take a lot more for the *Picture History* than we paid for it." To these and to all other readers who are taking the time to tell us how much *Life's Picture History of World War II* means to them personally, LIFE's warmest thanks.

Thanks, too, to those who have given us their personal criticisms of the book . . . like the man who wrote, "I am 87 years old and my reading is confined to the armchair. The book is so heavy I cannot hold it close enough to study the pictures or read the captions." . . . and the woman who said, "I don't want to be reminded again of those tragic years."

The editors were understandably pleased with the thousands of fine comments made in the nation's press and on the air. Sample excerpts: "This really magnificent record of World War II is a finer tribute to the fallen soldiers, correspondents and photographers of the democracies than any arch or statue," Reviewer Sterling North. "It's the only book of its kind, and the only one there's ever likely to be," Associated Press Reviewer W. C. Rogers. "It is indeed a 'ghastly, grisly, story,' but much more than that, and well told," Mark S. Watson of the *Baltimore Evening Sun*. "A magnificent record, edited with intelligence and presented with skill and accuracy," Walter Mills, New York *Herald Tribune*. "A magnificent and impressive performance," Charles Poore, New York *Times*. "Never was a book like this—just as there never was a war like World War II. . . . Inexpressibly warm and factually tremendous," N. R. Howard, editor of the *Cleveland News*.

The most welcome praise is that which comes daily in letters from the officers and enlisted men who fought in World War II. Very special thanks to them, including General Omar N. Bradley, who said, "It is the finest book of its kind I have ever seen. LIFE certainly did a grand job on the text and the historical narrative."

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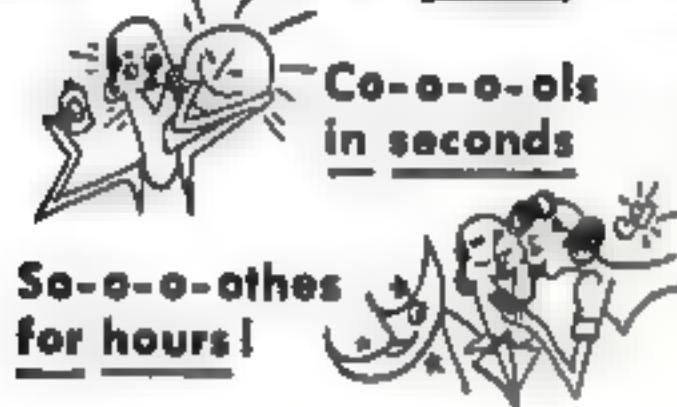
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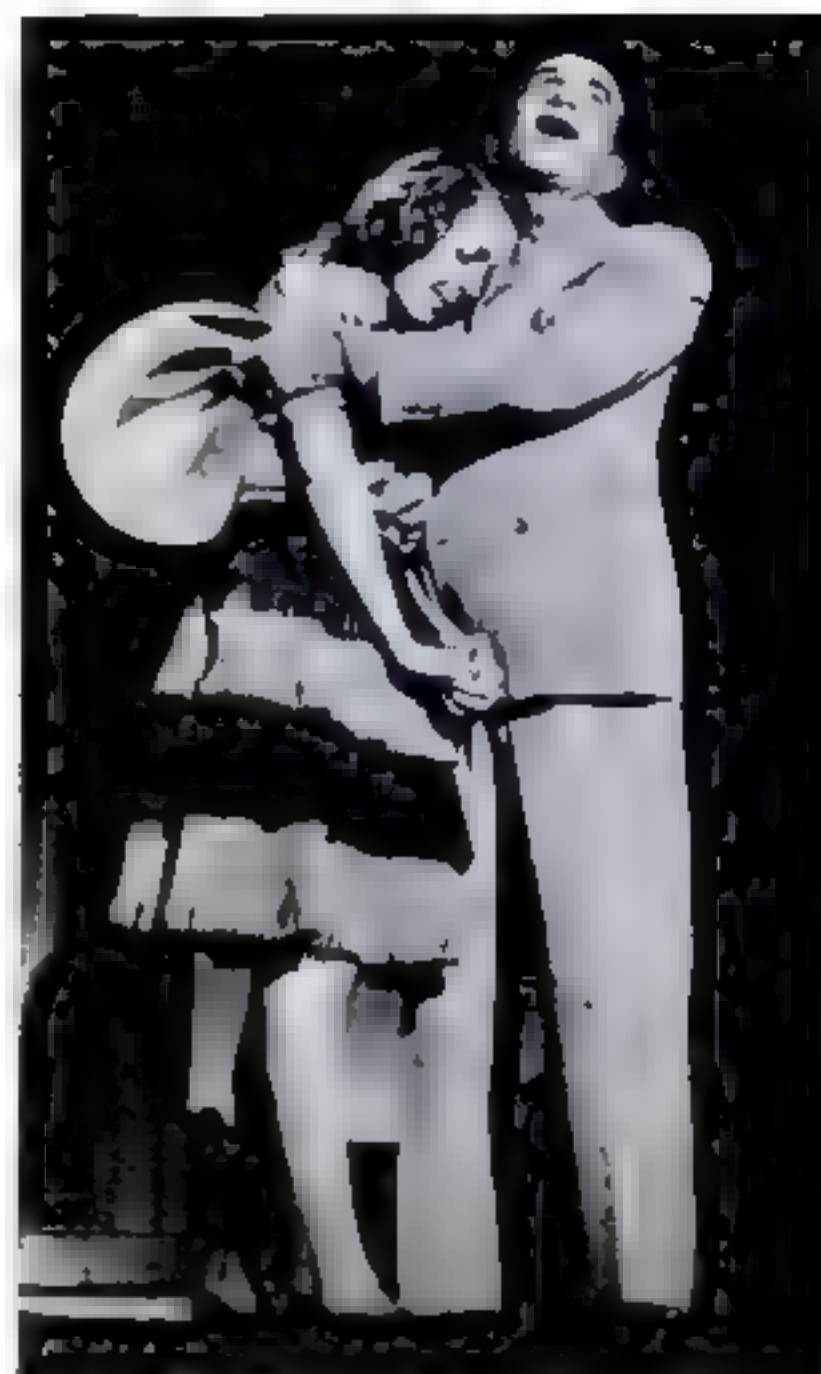
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**WIFE NO. 3** was Dancer Ruby Keeler, here seen with Jolson in a show called *Hold Onto Your Hats* in 1940. They were divorced in 1939.



**LARRY PARKS** (left) was human form through which disembodied voice of Jolson passed in movies, *The Jolson Story*, *Jolson Sings Again*.



**JOLSON'S WIDOW** arrives at the funeral. She met him during one of his World War II hospital tours, became his fourth wife in 1945.





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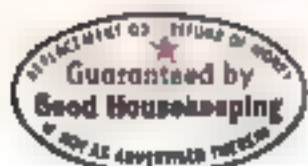


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# The Connecticut River



A MORNING MIST RISES FROM THE RIVER, ADMITTING THE SUN TO CLOTH-SHADED TOBACCO FIELDS BELOW MT. SUGARLOAF, MASS.

## Man works to improve valley that served him well

PHOTOGRAPHED FOR LIFE BY MARGARET BOURKE-WHITE

As gently as sweet Afton, the Connecticut River flows through four states in search of the sea. Almost everywhere it meanders it gives New England a lovely old English look. In such rural reaches as Sunderland near Deerfield (*above*) and in the towns that line its terraced banks, it preserves throughout its length a polite and placid air of domesticated tranquillity that few American rivers ever attain. The Connecticut has served man better than he has served it. It rarely rebelled while he stripped its forested slopes, polluted its waters and silted its bottom with topsoil. But at times it rose to repay his despoliation with disastrous floods. Now, for the first time

since the white man wrested it from the Indians, one generation is in position to improve the river for the generations to follow. A comprehensive plan for reforestation, flood and erosion control has been drafted by the U.S. Forest Service and Soil Conservation Service and awaits state action. While it would cost \$53 million (about half in public, half in private funds), it calls for no surrender of Yankee autonomy to a river authority, and in terms of readily realized benefits it would be fairly cheap as river rehabilitation goes. On these pages LIFE takes a tour of the endangered beauties and riches of the Connecticut to report on the commerce and culture it has spawned.





PASTURE LAND near West Stewartstown, N.H., lies just below the Canadian border. Here in

the upper valley, with many twists and turns, the young river divides Vermont, New Hampshire.



"ROUND" BARN (actually 16-sided) near Piermont, N.H. was built by Farmer Ernest L. Stevens, 75 (left), in 1906. Inside it his 70 Holsteins' stalls are "in the round," facing center. Milk goes to Boston.

← FARMER STEVENS and his son-in-law, Henry Dearborn, 41, have run Sunnybrook Farm together since Stevens' tractor broke his leg last year. Henry gladly quit a power lineman's job to go back to farm.

→ ROADSIDE STAND of Farmer Fred Nelson at Westminster Station, Vt. is one of dozens on river. He has banked 10 tons of blue Hubbard squash behind tomatoes. His stand lures up to 500 motorists a day.





## Rich fields, round barns

The Connecticut Valley's first crop was trees: the tallest and straightest were marked by timber cruisers to be cut for masts for the king's navy. Most of the big trees were floated downriver long ago, in the days when a man could walk from bank to bank on the great log booms. Today the upper valley is dotted with neat dairy farms like Ernest Stevens', whose barn is shown above. Dairying has become Vermont's leading industry. Maple sugar and syrup, for whose processing St. Johnsbury, Vt. is the center, constitute a diminishing crop—demand for maple wood for furniture and women's shoe heels is depleting the "sugar bushes," the groves of syrup maples. Downriver the big cash crops are "shade" tobacco and vegetables.





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Green Mountains

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VERMONT

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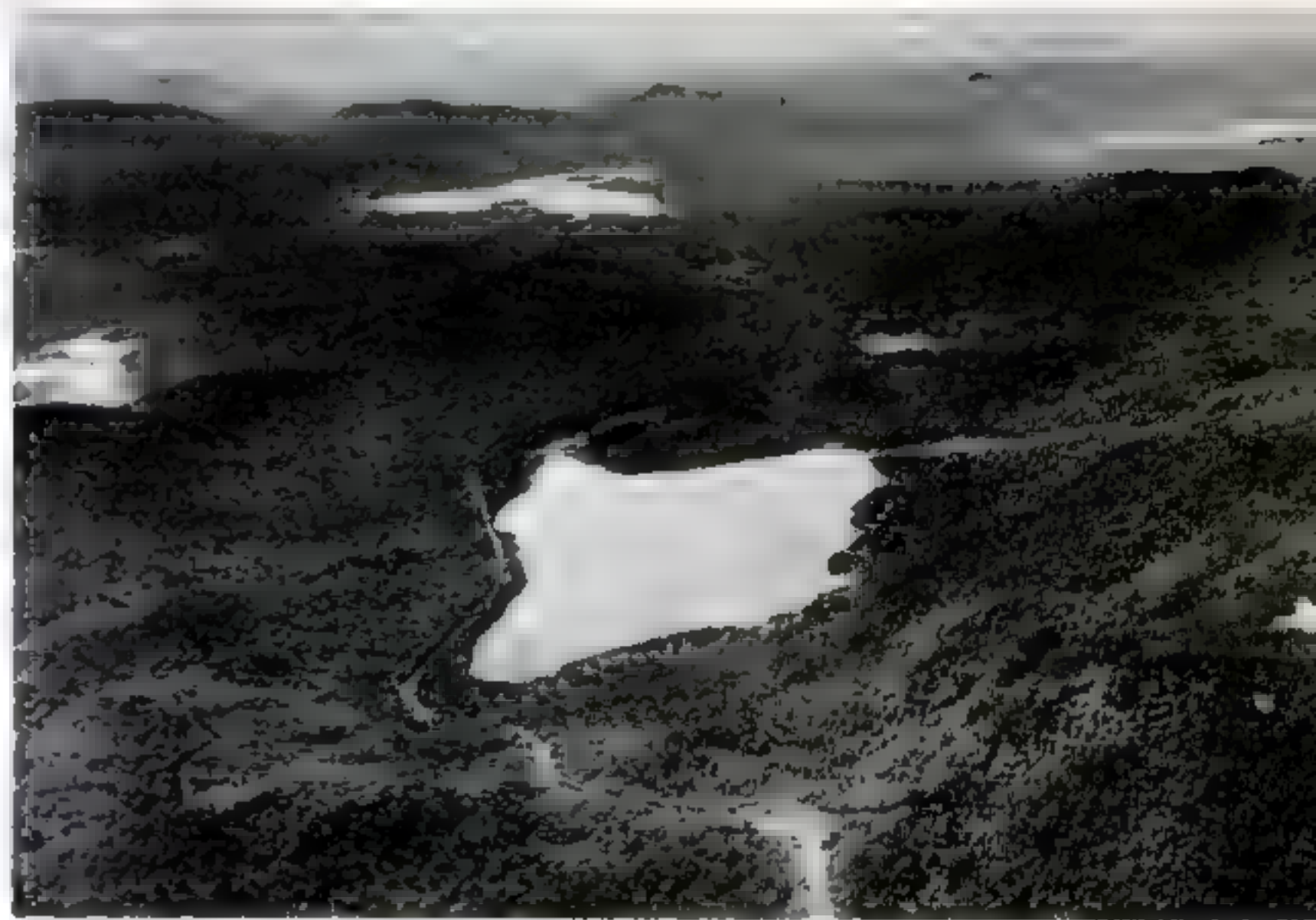
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Long Island





**RIVER'S SOURCE** is the five "Connecticut Lakes" in the wilds of northern New Hampshire. This aerial picture was taken looking south from across the Canadian border, which zigzags from left to right in foreground. Customs house is astride the highway at bottom center. The large lake in center is Third Lake.

## The powerful currents of thought and history

The Connecticut flows 392 miles to get from the Canadian border to Long Island Sound, which as the crow flies is only 280 miles. That makes it New England's longest river, which in terms of bigness is not saying much, for among all U.S. rivers it ranks only 43rd. Like New England, however, it has exerted an influence on American civilization out of all proportion to its size, and from this standpoint ranks with the fabled Tigris, the Nile and the Thames. White men sailed into its mouth six years before the Pilgrims laid eyes on Plymouth Rock. It was at Hartford, on its banks, that the Reverend Thomas Hooker planted the heretical seed from which the New World's democratic philosophy grew: "The foundation of authority," he announced firmly in 1638, "is laid, firstly, in the free consent of the people."

As a main current of American thought, the river has fertilized some weird experiments, such as the Indian Stream Republic which, in 1832, briefly sought to create a buffer state between the U.S. and Canada. It has nurtured some great religious enterprises, such as Dwight Moody's missionary hotbed at Northfield, Mass. It has been benign to educational plants: Yale University was born at its mouth, and Amherst, Smith, Dartmouth, Mt. Holyoke and nearly a hundred others, most of them founded as an expression of religious zeal, have thrived along its bends. The free public education, universal suffrage and abolition movements all started along the river. So did one phase of the conservation movement: the country's first reforestation project was launched by the Shakers of Enfield, Conn. 51 years ago. But conservation cannot be said to have thrived along the Connecticut. Its green pastures and covered hillsides belie the fact that man has treated it as carelessly as he did the Dust Bowl. The salmon and shad have all but abandoned its once clear pools, and its denuded forest floors no longer regulate its tributaries as nature intended that they should. But by building dams and watercourses and returning a quarter of a million acres to forest use, the government plan may save one river that it is not too late to save.

**RIVER'S COURSE** winds through four states. West bank forms Vermont-New Hampshire border, court decisions placed line there instead of in midstream, thus giving river to New Hampshire. Connecticut-Massachusetts line is between Thompsonville and Springfield; Massachusetts-New Hampshire line between Northfield and Dublin; Massachusetts-Vermont line between Greenfield, Brattleboro.





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## Wellspring of inventiveness

If the Mississippi is the father of waters, the Connecticut is the mother of invention, home of a thousand trademarks that have become household words. It gave the country its first submarine, its first steamboat, its first plow and its first hats, and now gives it around \$1.5 billion worth of manufactured goods a year. The pictures on these pages testify to that quality

of inventiveness and to Yankee pride as well. The incongruous dome above, surmounted by a colt rampant, was proudly decreed by Samuel Colt for the top of his Hartford armory right after he got an order for 5,000 revolvers from the sultan of Turkey. Like Colt the whole valley is proud that its skills and the goods it fashions are well regarded all over the world.



### THE CONNECTICUT CONTINUED



AETNA LIFE President Morgan B. Brainard, 71, whose firm is one of the biggest of 48 that make Hartford the "insurance capital" of U.S., holds a vase of State House Staffordshire china, which he collects.



ESTEY ORGAN'S Clarence W. Trendell, 65, head pipe chest maker, aligns pipes in sockets for a church organ going to Laurens, S.C. Trendell has worked for the Estey plant at Brattleboro, Vt. for 35 years.



JONES & LAMSON Toolmaker Cecil E. Fisk, 37, works on the final tooling of a J. & L. turret lathe at Springfield, Vt. Fisk lives across the river at Charlestown, N.H., where forest was cleared by his forebears.

← GROVETON PAPERS' mill at Groveton, N.H., where the Upper Ammonoosuc flows into the Connecticut, uses 180 cords of pulpwood a day from piles at left. It comes from second-growth pine and spruce.





**PRATT & WHITNEY** Organizer Frederick B. Rentschler, now chairman of United Aircraft, displays part of Turbo-Wasp engine P. & W. makes for Navy and Air Force fighters in East Hartford plant.



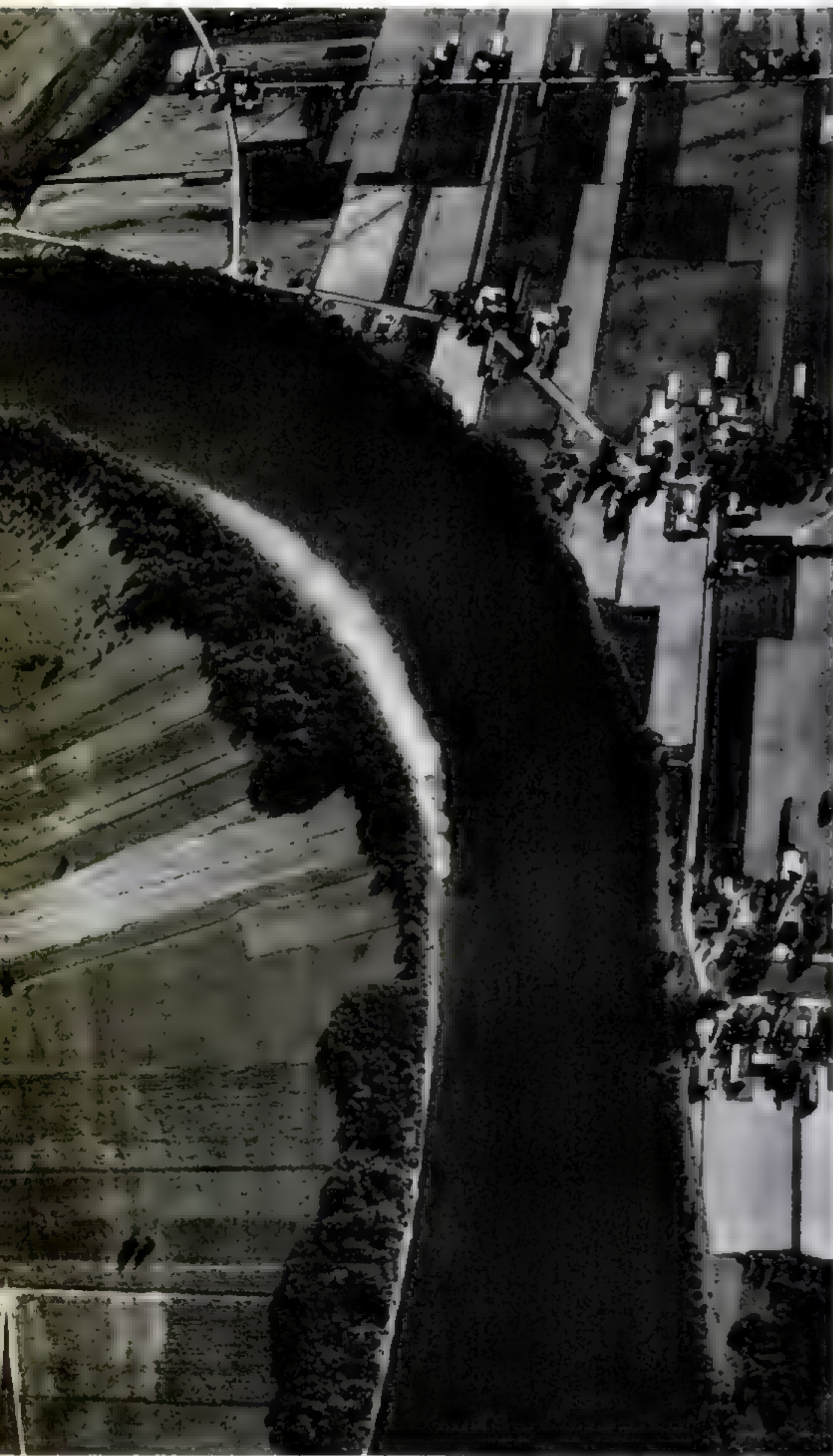
**AMERICAN OPTICAL** Inspector Phyllis Vincent gauges welders' glasses for thickness. Her firm built its mechanized plant in a meadow at Bechtelboro because it needs lots of water from the river close by.



**SMITH & WESSON** Pistol Engraver Harry Jarvis, 75, disassembles a revolver for decorative engraving in S. & W.'s modern gunmaking plant at Springfield, Mass., where he has worked off and on for 30 years.

← **"PAPER CITY"** of Holyoke, famed for high grade papermaking, straddles the river. Its canals divert stream, which enters city in the foreground. They provided hydraulic power for early textile plants.





**THE ORDERLY RIVER** passes a cleanly tailored village landscape on this bend between Hatfield and Hadley, Mass. One of the earliest settlements of western Massachusetts, Hadley shows (lower right) the

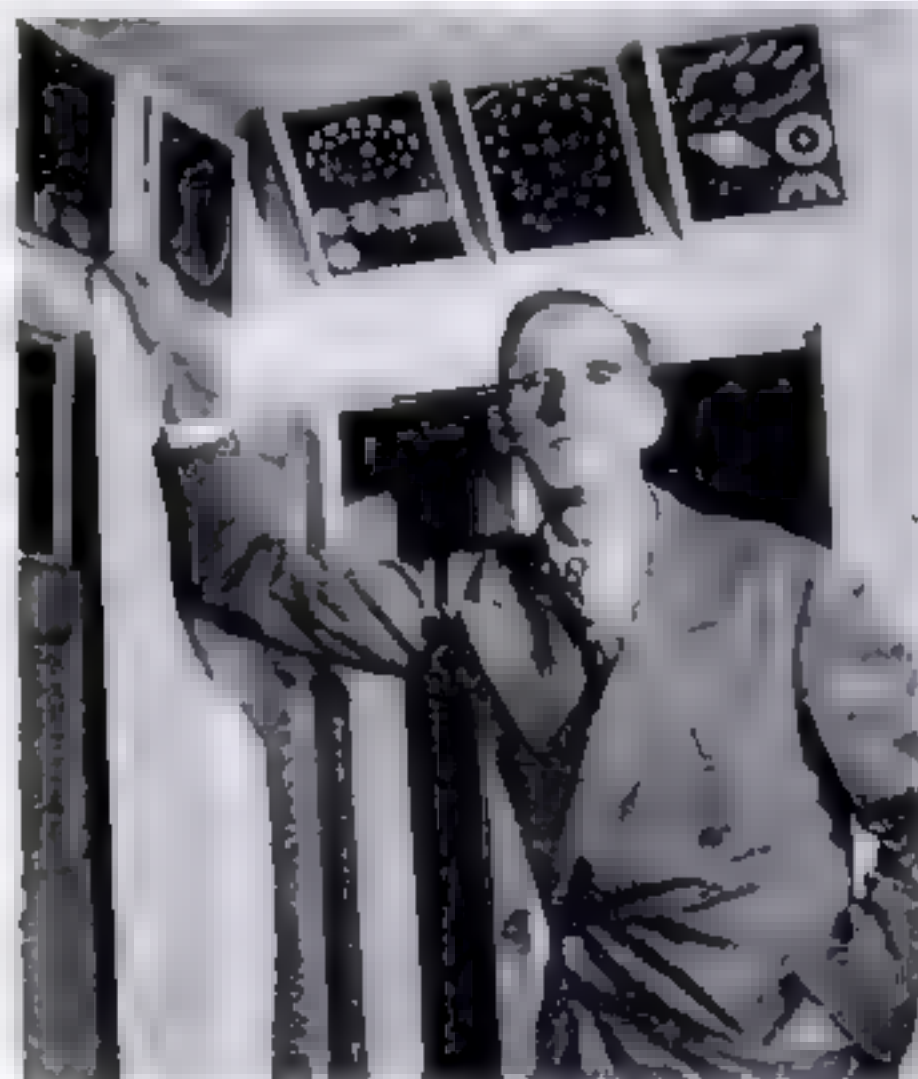
typical layout of New England colonial villages. The houses face each other across a wide green or common with their neat strips of farmland stretching out to rear. Hatfield lies beyond the fields on left bank.



**CALENDAR ARTIST** Maxfield Parrish, still turning out paintings at 80, was one of first to join famed Cornish, N.H., art colony. His house and studio is near Blow Me Down Brook, tributary of the river.



**MOVIE DIRECTOR** Robert J. Flaherty (*Nanook of the North*, *Louisiana Story*) and his wife Frances live near Brattleboro. She came from Maine and bought their house in a village near New England.



**ALMANAC PUBLISHER** Robb Sagendorph, a Bostonian who moved to Dublin, N.H., saved *Old Farmer's Almanac* from folding in 1940. He sells it all over U.S. to people with a nostalgia for New England.



# Sanctuary for escapists on valley's rustic slopes

There is a saying in Vermont that the more famous a person is, the worse the road to his house. Along with New Hampshire, Connecticut and Massachusetts, Vermont has many deplorable access roads, kept that way by people who want to be inaccessible. In the Connecticut Valley a "back to the hills" movement has been going on for generations now, among more or less well-to-do celebrities wanting to get away from it all. They may find it no easier to put down roots in the rocky New England soil than on the pavements of the big city, but many find security in the atmosphere where the solid

old New England virtues thrived. One of the oldest havens for escapists is New Hampshire's Cornish colony, founded in the 1880s and boasting, besides a memorial to Sculptor St. Gaudens, such practicing creators as Maxfield Parrish (*left*). For a variety of scenic and temperamental reasons the Connecticut Valley has claimed many other immigrants in recent years. Each finds it reminds him of home, and all find it a place of satisfying open spaces, where a man can decide for himself how much he wants to have to do with the community—which in turn can take him or leave him alone.



**DRAFT HORSES** in the horse-pulling contest at the Tunbridge Fair back up to be hitched to a metal "boat" loaded with concrete blocks. This team of grade Belgians, driven by Ferris Ayer of Bridgewater, Vt., pulled a 9,200-pound load. The fair at Tunbridge, advertised as Vermont's World's Fair, was traditionally

the leading rustic carnival of the upper valley. Workmen and hired hands got the day off to see the fun and get drunk. Today, although the Tunbridge Fair has lost much of its authentic rustic character, it still attracts tourists to the White River Junction area and still maintains its reputation for conviviality.





AMHERST PRESIDENT, Charles Woolsey Cole, stands in his tradition-filled office beneath portrait of Lord Amherst, for whom the college town was named.



GREAT-NIECE of Harriet Beecher Stowe, Kate Day, lives in Hartford. Bust is of *Uncle Tom* author.

## A new age, new pilgrims

The faces on this page illuminate the changing character of the population—now about 1,250,000—of the Connecticut River Valley. The English pilgrims who settled it first, outnumbering the Indians, are being outnumbered themselves, so that it is possible to drive the length of the valley and hear French, Polish, Italian but not a word of English on your car radio. Downstream from the Vermont dairy farms, still largely operated by Yankees, the rich bottom lands and factories are worked by a mixture of Poles, Lithuanians, Ukrainians, French, Irish and Italians. To many of them the culture represented by Amherst and Harriet Beecher Stowe is at first incomprehensible. But even while the Zaikowskis have been inheriting the earth and the river, the Connecticut has been assimilating them in turn.



THE ZAIKOWSKIS of South Deerfield, Mass. are of hardy immigrant stock that has thrived and multiplied along the Yankee valley. The father, Alexander, came from Poland in 1902, worked as a farm laborer and miner, bought house and land, now grows onions and potatoes on his 20-acre farm, has nine children.

AT RIVER'S MOUTH the Connecticut flows past Essex (lower right) to meet the sea. The sailboats are in the fleet of the Essex Yacht Club. In the background U.S. 1 and the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad (in back) cross the river's mouth between pretty old towns of Saybrook, on the right, and Old Lyme.







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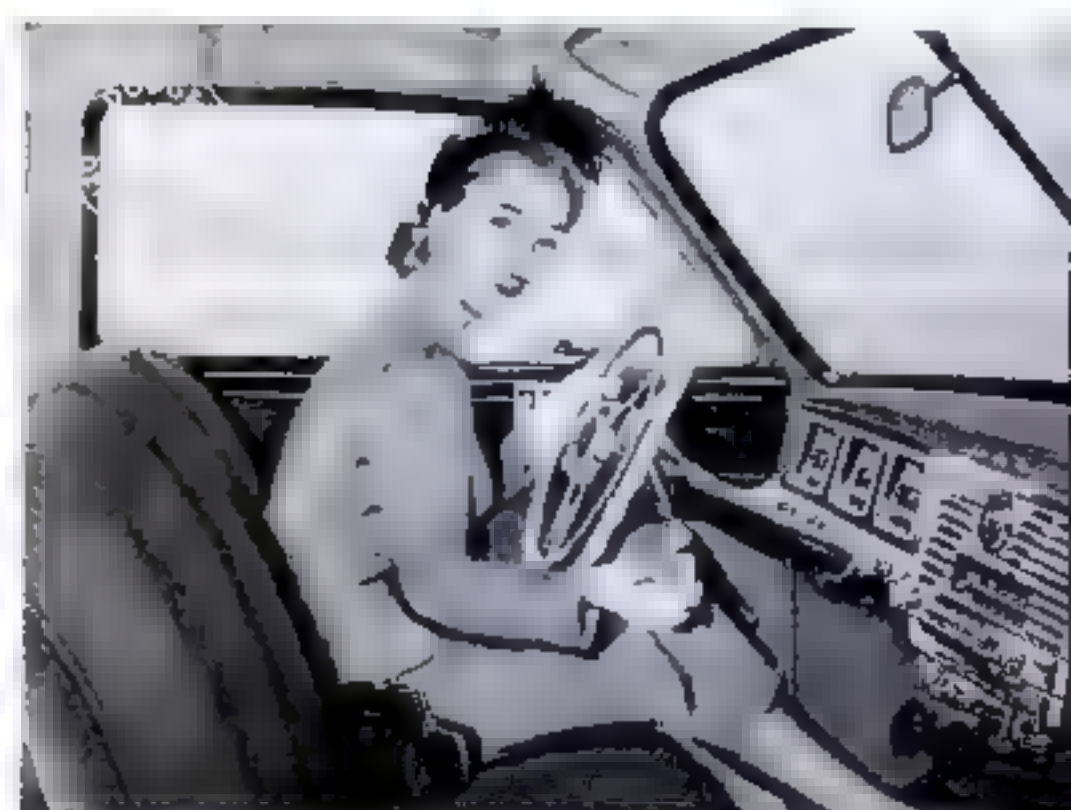


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concave face holds samples to be heated. The samples can be watched through the hole in mirror's center. Mechanism at left keeps instrument aimed at sun.

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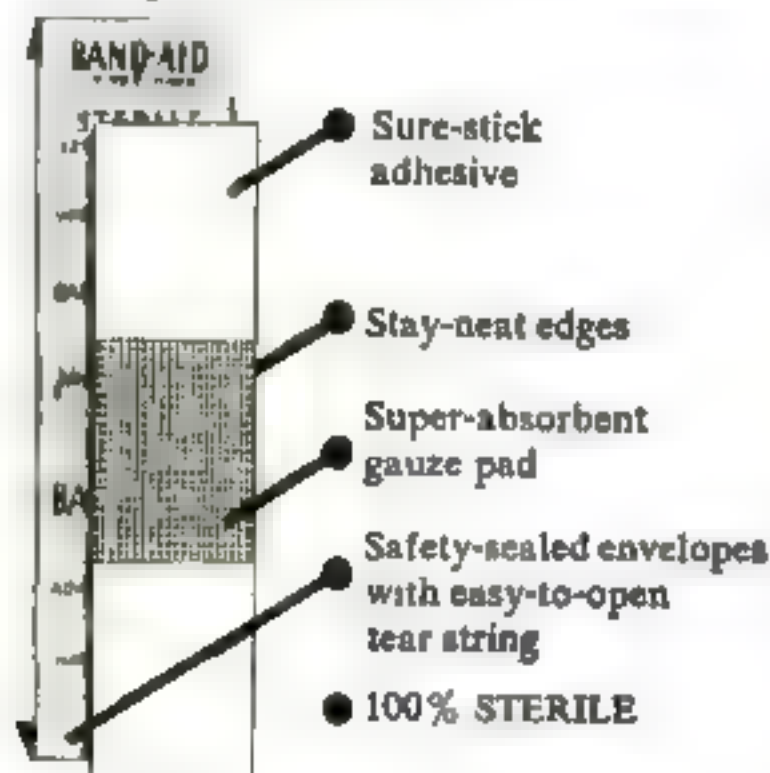


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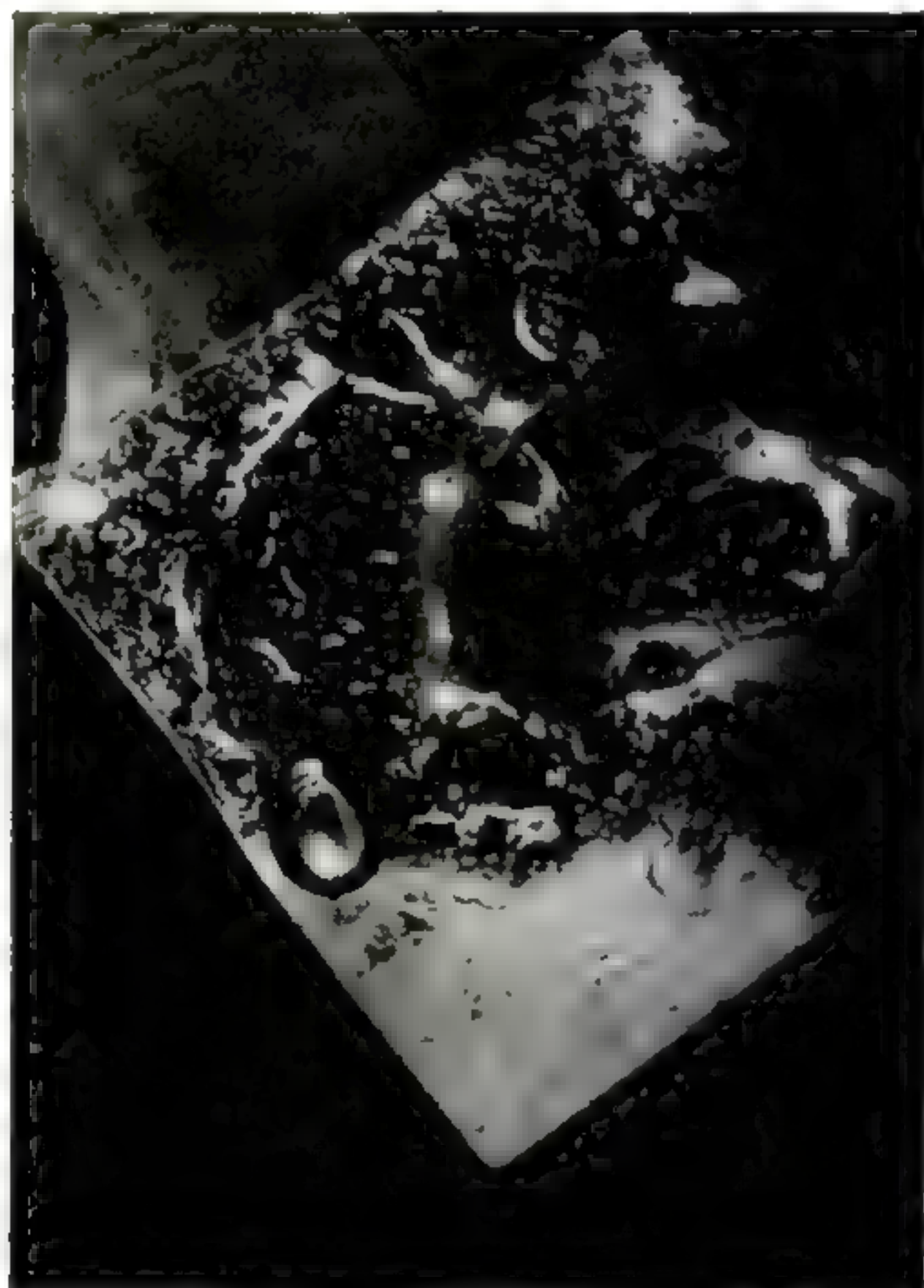
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## Hottest Furnace CONTINUED



AT FURNACE'S CENTER, here photographed through hole in mirror's center, a small test sample glows white-hot under the focused rays of the sun.



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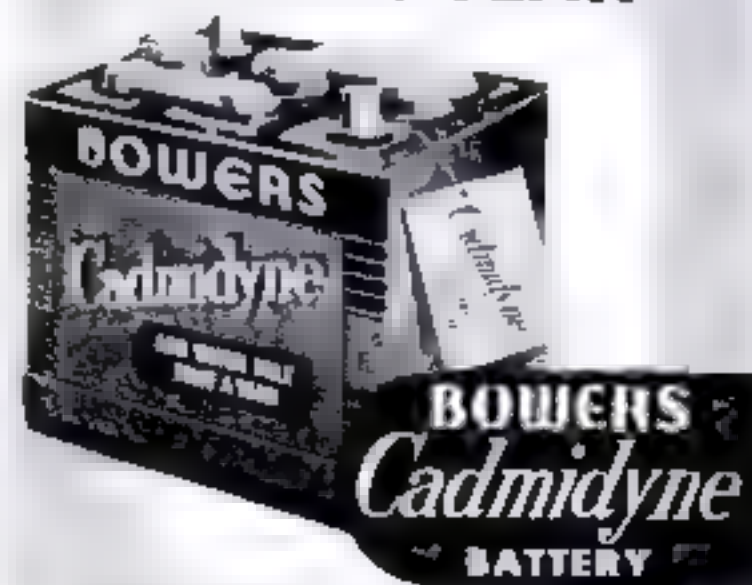
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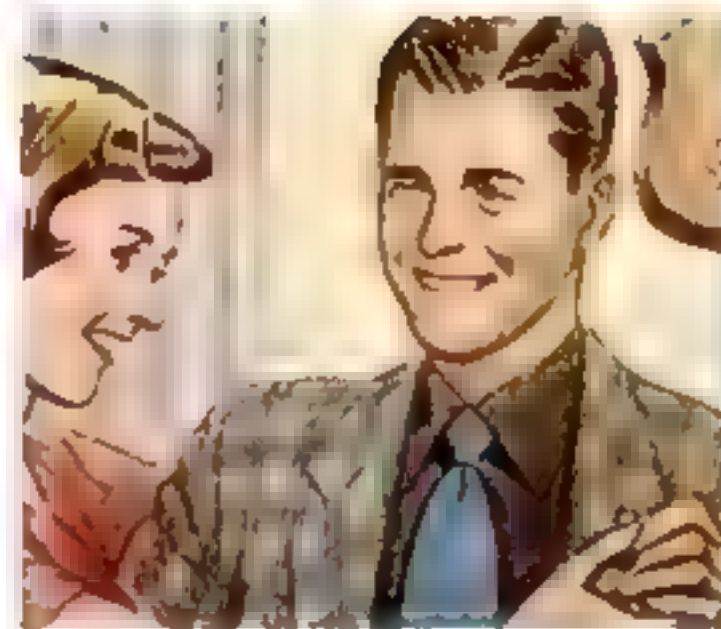
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**SCOUT REPORTS** to Yale's head coach. At New Haven 270-pound Jack Lavelle explains Cornell play to 293-pound Herman Hickman. Cornell is indicated

by circles, Yale by letters. Ball carrier, obscured by Lavelle's hand, follows wiggly-line course to right. In Lavelle-Hickman defense Yale and flares wide to meet him.

## THE ART OF FOOTBALL SCOUTING

**It pays off in Yale-Cornell game when two high-scoring teams are held to one touchdown between them**

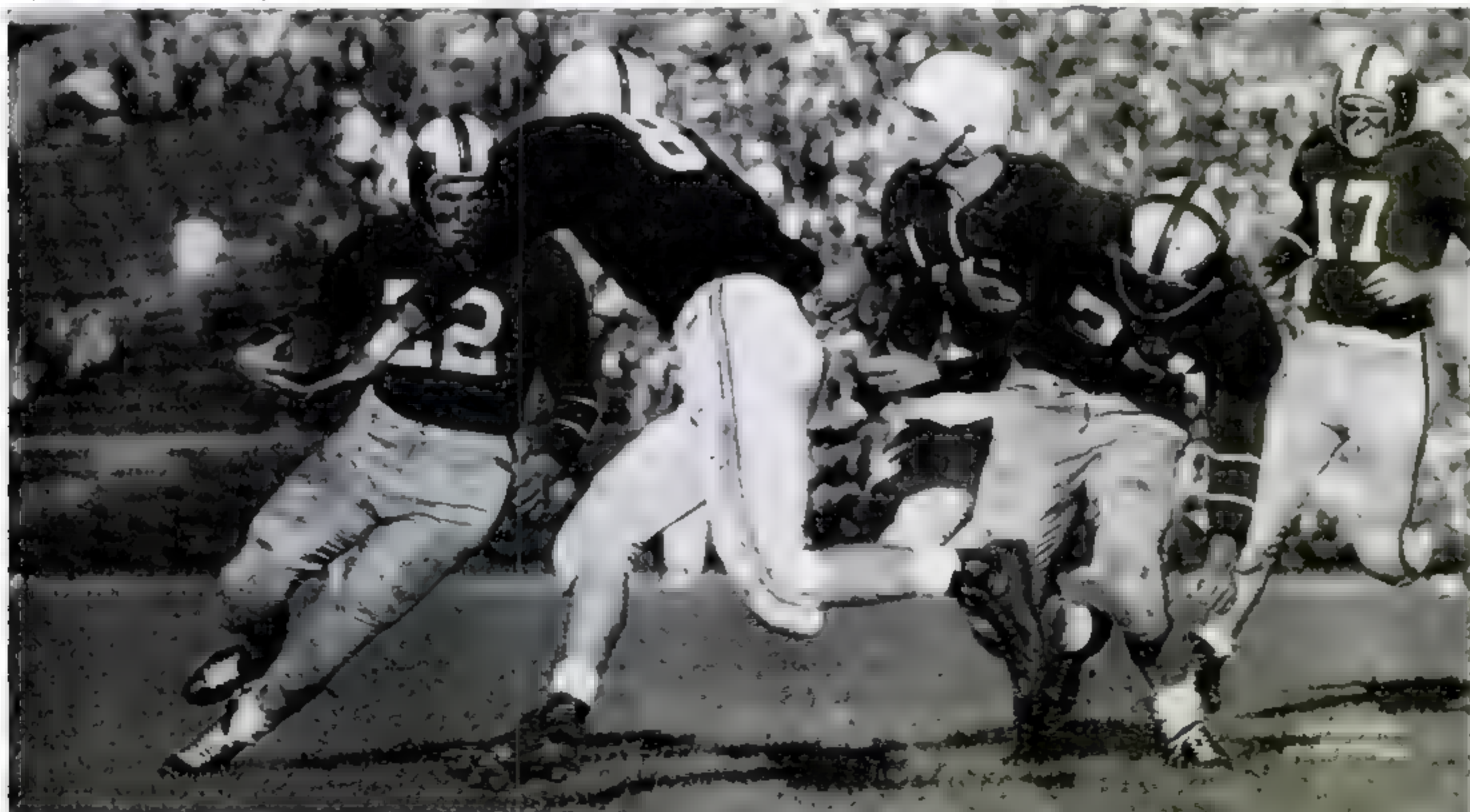
Up until the 1920s football scouts had a thankless job. They sneaked into stadiums on Saturday afternoon, stealthily jotted down notes and acted as if they were prime candidates for a tar-and-feathering. All that has changed now. Scouts are not only accepted by rival colleges but given choice seats in the press box and supplied with lineups, paper and sharpened pencils. Coaches exchange these courtesies because they would be almost completely lost without scouts. How much they rely on them was effectively demonstrated in this season's Yale-Cornell game.

After having seen Cornell play, Yale's chief scout, Jack Lavelle (above);

reported to Yale Coach Hickman that Cornell could be stopped if its outside running attack were stopped. A defense was rigged up giving Cornell a hole to shoot at in the center of the line. Yale's ends and tackles flared wide at the first hint of an end run and stopped the outside stuff. Meanwhile Cornell's four-man scouting staff (pp. 142-143) brought back word that Halfback Ed Senay was the key to Yale's attack. Senay was defended so thoroughly that he was held to a net gain of only five yards. As a result of the scouting, the two teams, both noted for their strong offenses, scored only one touchdown between them—Cornell's, which won the game, 7-0.

**REPORT'S RESULT** shows up in Yale-Cornell game. As Cornell Halfback Engel (22) comes around in play diagrammed at top of page, Yale end, following

instructions, drifts wide and turns ball carrier inside. When Cornell blocker fails to get Yale tackle (76), Engel is hit hard by two men and thrown for 2-yard loss.





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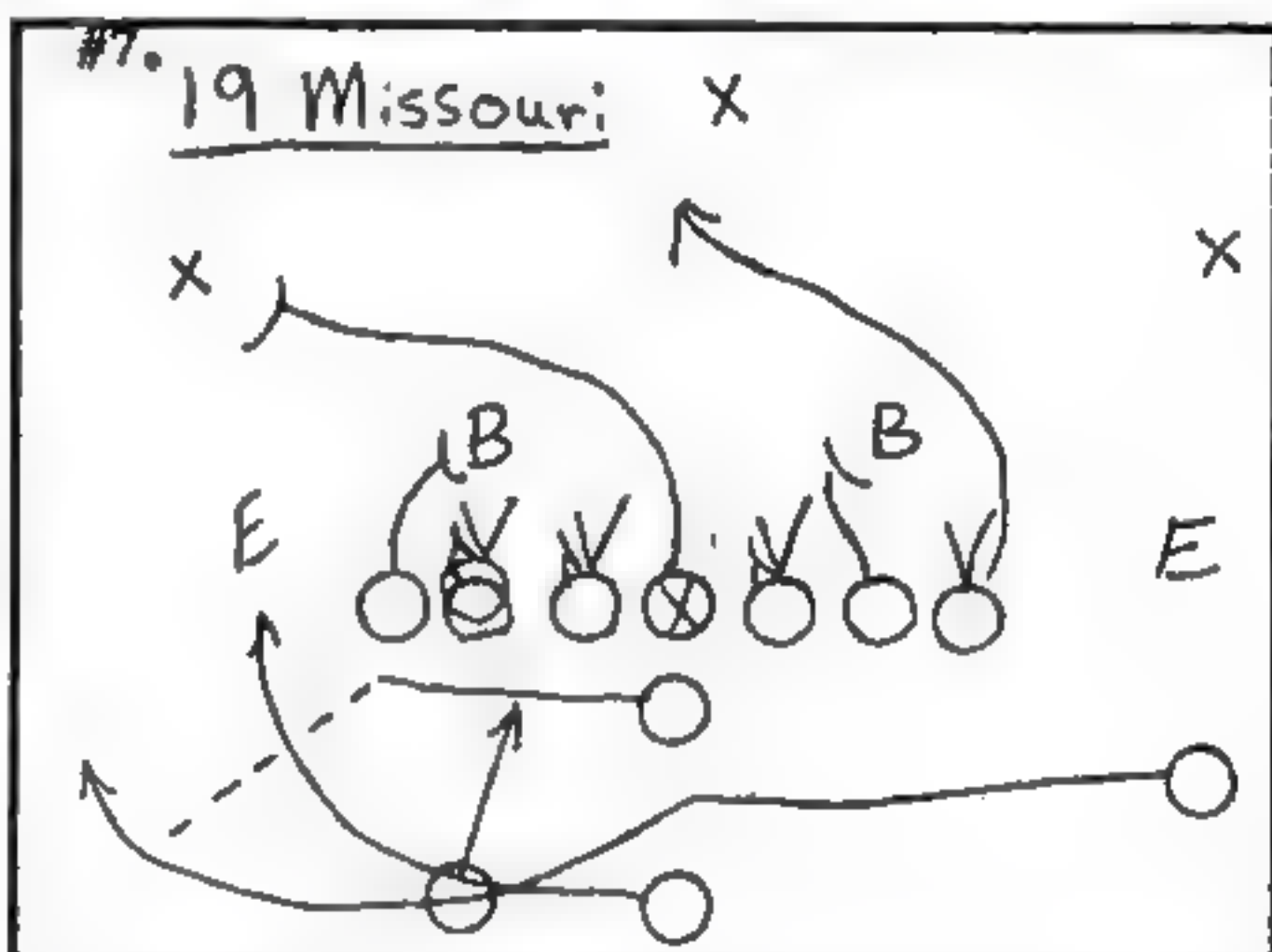
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## Football Scouting CONTINUED



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YALE'S BEST PLAY, labeled "Missouri" in Cornell's scouting diagram, is lateral (dotted line) from quarterback to halfback. Cornell planned to defend it by having tackle rush quarterback, saving end for ultimate runner. Although there were lapses (below), Cornell's defense was almost completely successful.



"MISSOURI" GAINS for Yale when Cornell's end, not following plan, hit Quarterback Ryan instead of letting tackle do it. Ryan flipped ball to Half.

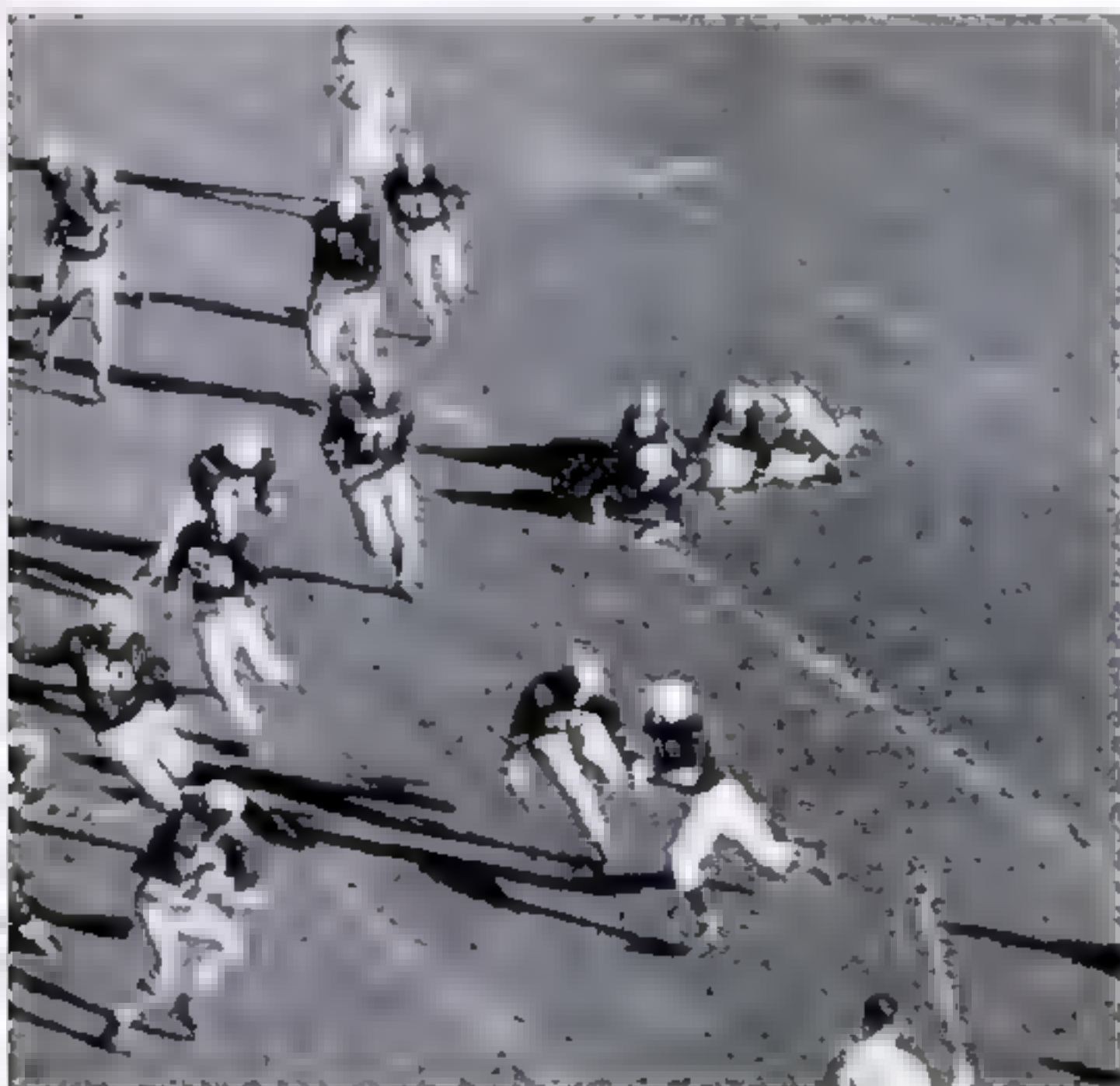




CHIEF SCOUT McCULLOUGH (SECOND LEFT) DESCRIBES YALE TOUCHDOWN

## CORNELL DIAGNOSES YALE PLAYS

All coaches dream of using an 11-man staff to scout a tough opponent, one scout for each player on the team. But common sense limits them to a four-man staff like Cornell's (above). They divided the Yale team among them, charting its every move. There wasn't time for talk except such cryptic remarks as "Flanker right, Mac..." or "On that trap play just tell them to hold their position until they see the ball." Only Hal McCullough, star of Cornell's 1939 team, was a member of the coaching staff. His helpers were ex-players pressed into part-time service. After the game the four of them rendezvoused at New York's Cornell Club to organize their multitudinous notes. "The trick," says McCullough, "is to anticipate their pattern of thinking." The findings went into a 14-page mimeographed report distributed to each Cornell player expected to see action. Included was a description of what to expect from each Yale player. Sample on Yale's defensive end: "Monroe #89, 6' 1, 194. Very aggressive. Reacts to outside first. Gives ground and hand-fights well." Interpreted, this means that Monroe drifts to the outside first, before moving in on the play, that he is skillful at backing away from blockers and keeping them off with his hands.



back Conway, whom end was supposed to cover, and Conway went around for gain of 14 yards. On ground at right are Ryan and Cornell's end and tackle.

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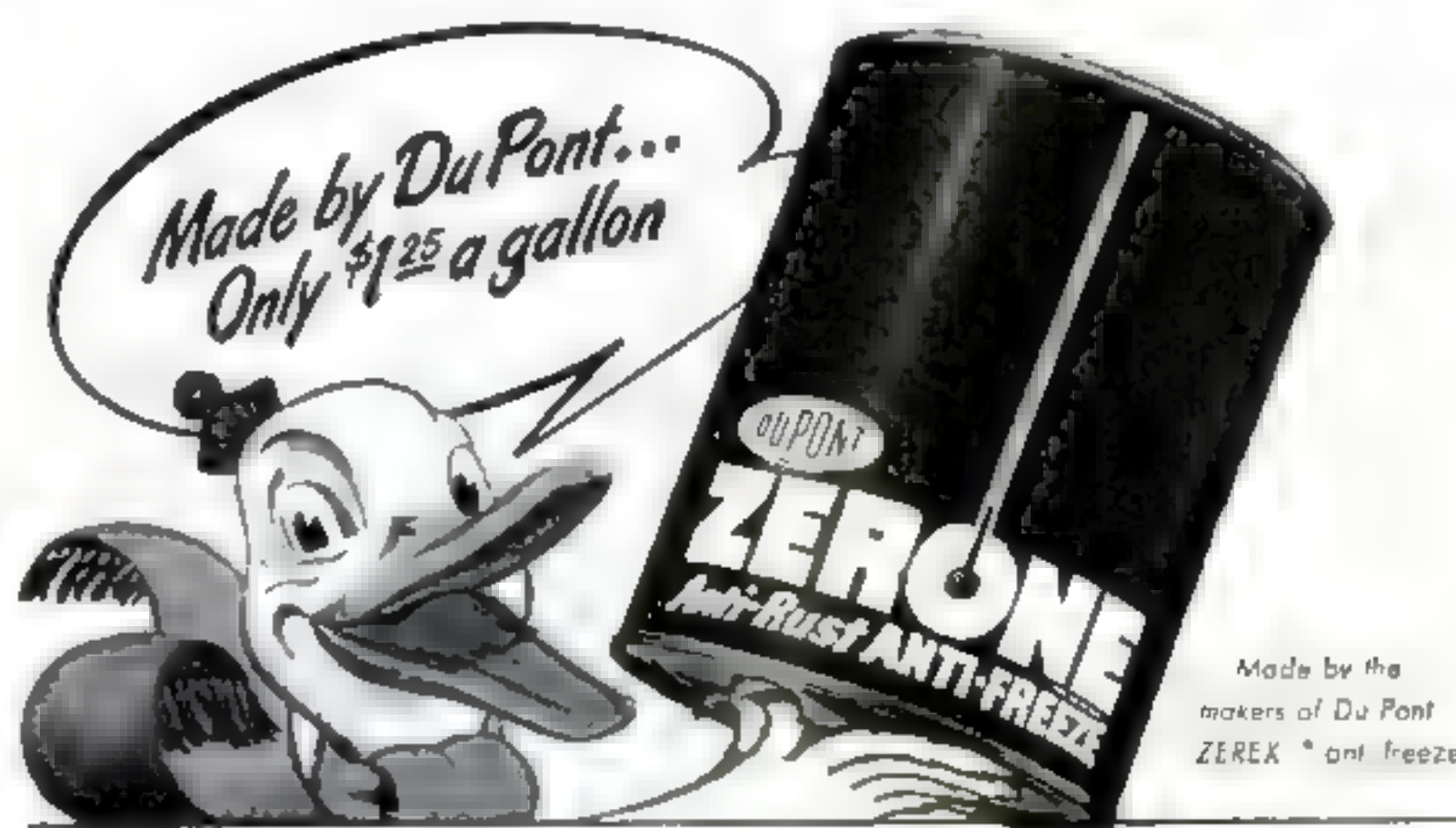
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More motorists use Du Pont "Zerone" anti-freeze  
than any other brand



The dealer who displays this emblem offers you a special winter service. Make an early date with him for anti-freeze and for a thorough cooling system check-up—before the anti-freeze rush jams his driveway.



REG. U. S. PAT. OFF.  
... THROUGH CHEMISTRY

Listen to "Cavalcade of America," Tuesday Nights, NBC Coast to Coast



# NOW!

## BRIGGS

### SMOKES

### 3 WAYS BETTER\*



1. Stays lighted longer...by 19%



2. Cleaner burning...by 16.4%



3. Less tar...by 21.6%

So today...

Put this  
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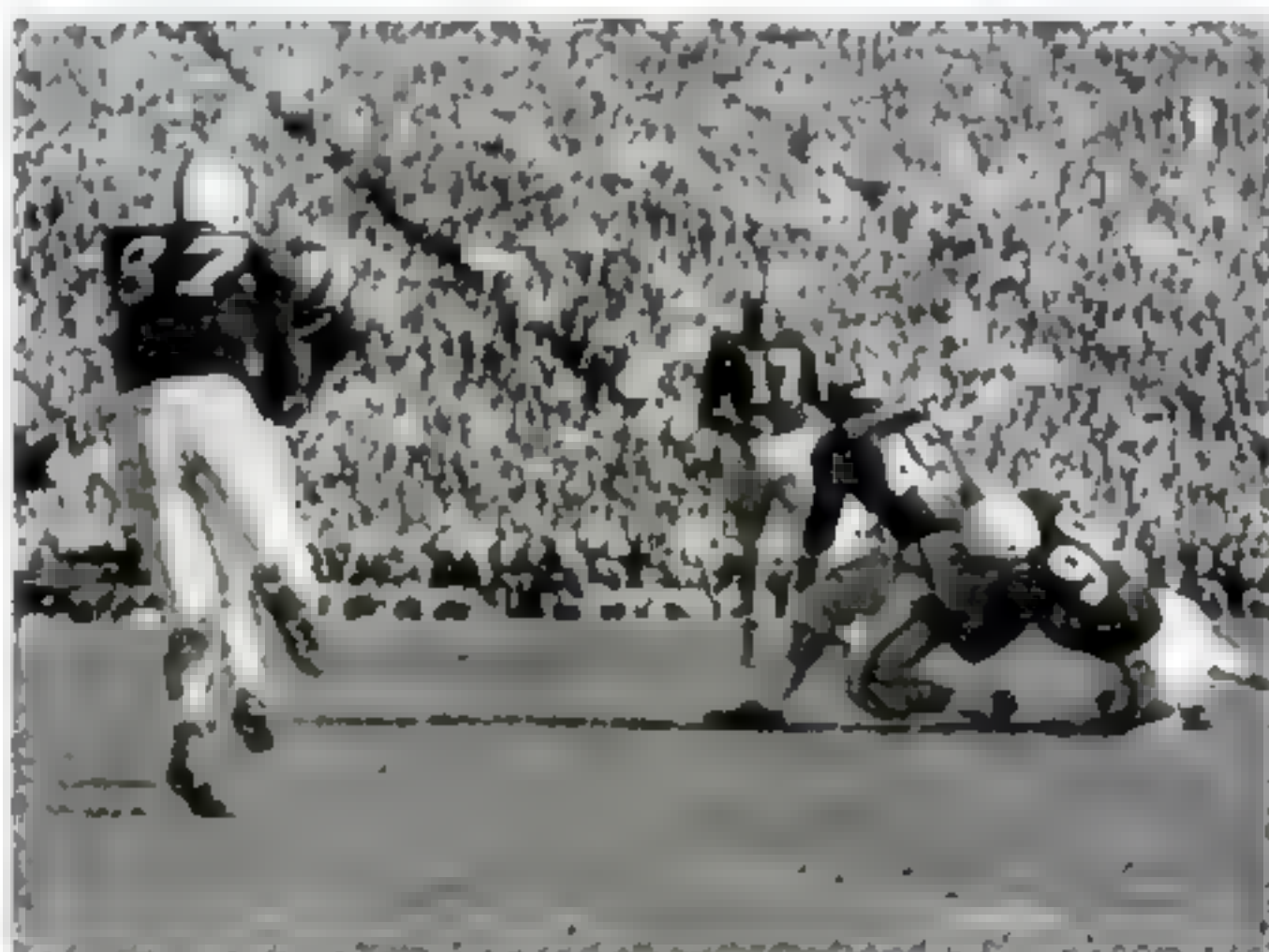
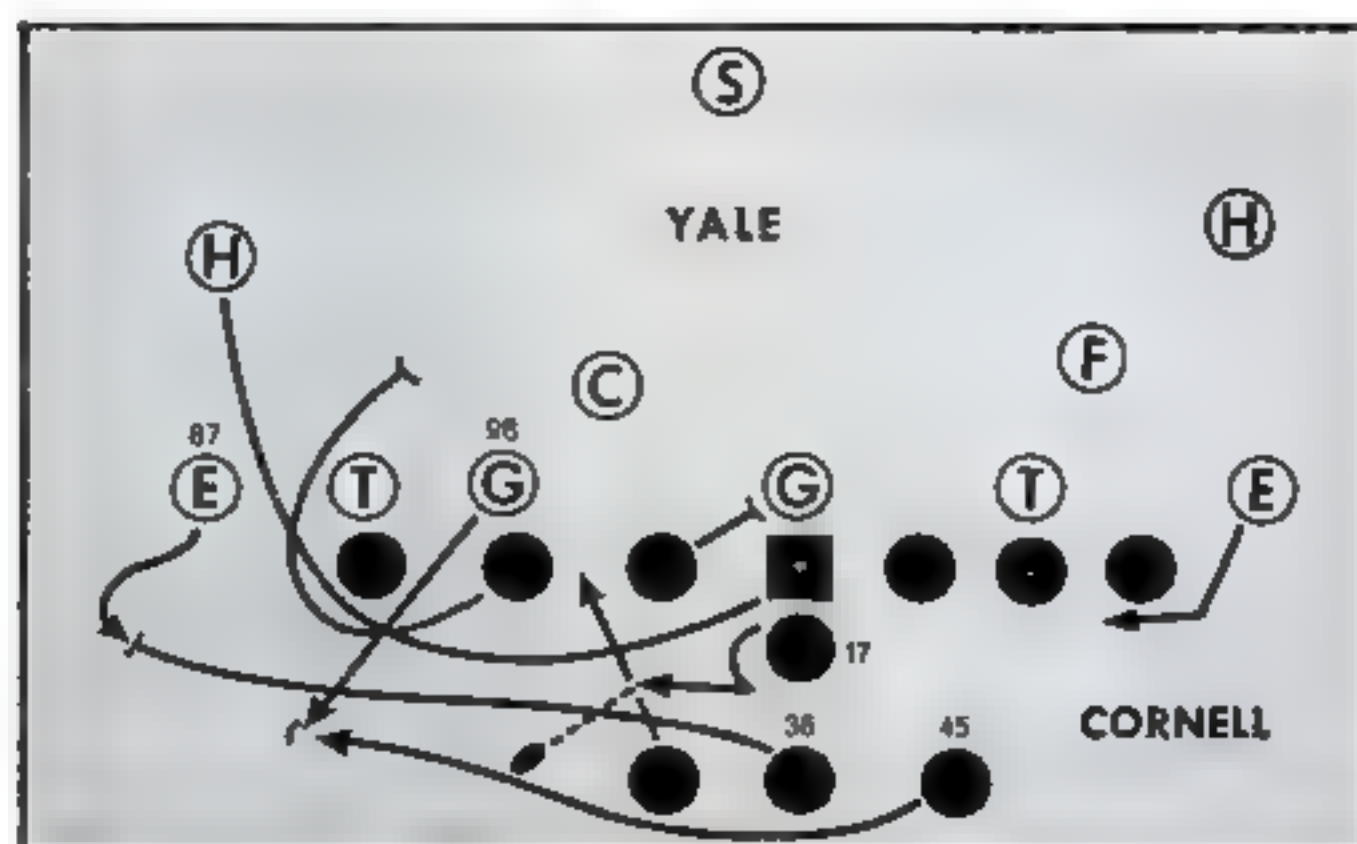


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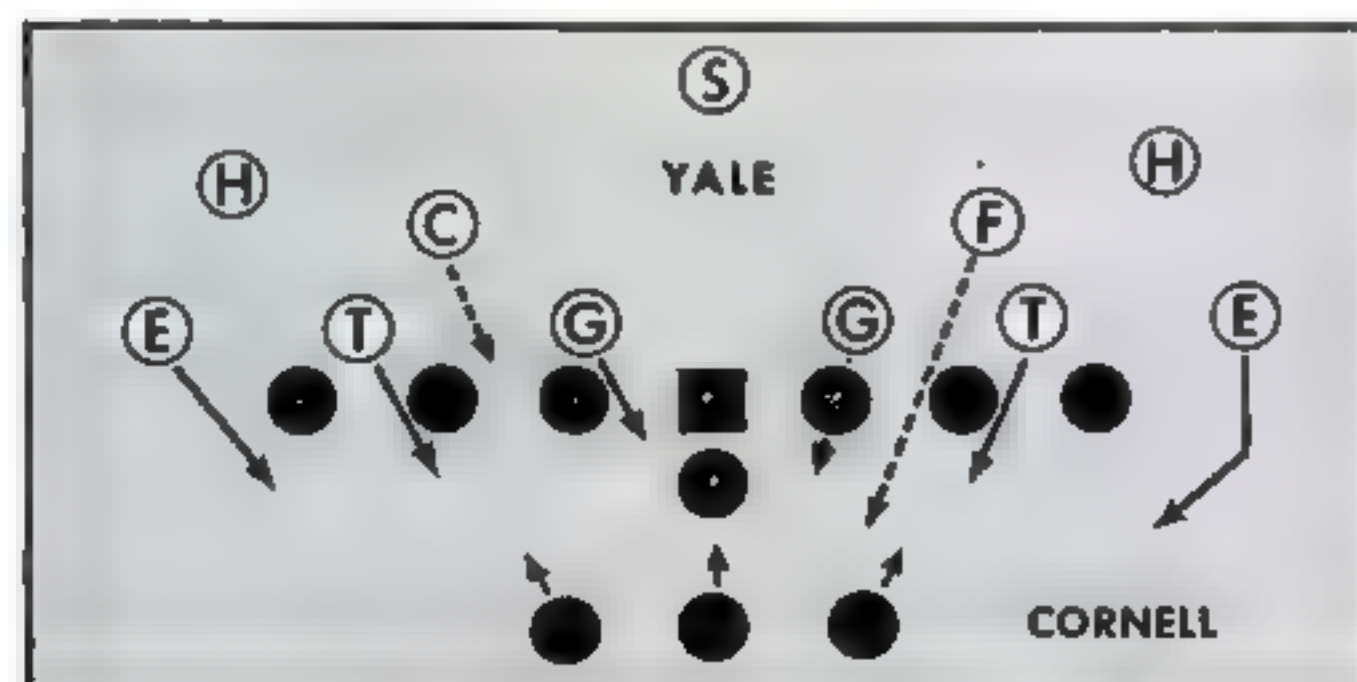
\*Yes, our new process makes Briggs better by actual test! Better even than the swell-smoking Briggs that proved so fine and friendly in your pipe before. And remember this: when tobacco burns steady, free and clean, that's when you enjoy all the goodness of Briggs' fine tobacco, aged and mellowed in oaken casks. Today—try 3-ways-better Briggs!

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## Football Scouting CONTINUED



**YALE'S UNORTHODOX DEFENSE** smears Cornell's version of the "Missouri" lateral. As shown in diagram above, Hickman's defense "gave away" a big hole between the guards, tempting Cornell to strike there. But in order not to give away too until he had diagnosed the play, Guard Mitinger (98) hesitated before charging. When Cornell lineman pulled to lead play, Mitinger automatically found himself in the enemy's backfield. After the Cornell quarterback (17) pitched the ball to Halfback Miller (45), Yale's Mitinger stood squarely in the way. He is shown in picture throwing Miller for a 4-yard loss.



**CORNELL'S ANSWER** to Yale's invitation to smack center sometimes paid off. Here Cornell starts a play over the middle from its T-formation. Fullback Jeff Fleischmann (second from left), one of the nation's best power runners and particularly destructive when he was cut loose outside the tackles, leaps forward to take a handoff from the quarterback. He bulldozed his way through Yale's defenders for 6 yards before being hauled down, two more than Yale planned when it devised its "giveaway" hole. Yale linemen, reacting quickly to the play, are following procedure shown in diagram—slanting toward center.

## REMINGTON USERS!

Get faster, closer electric shaves with new preparation!

Now you can get quicker, longer-lasting shaves from your Remington Electric Shaver—with sensational new Letric Shave. Just dash a few drops on your face before shaving.

"Gives me a cleaner, faster shave"

H. LINDQUIST  
Kirkville, Mo.



Letric Shave helps get rid of shaver-clogging perspiration, smooths down skin, helps save precious minutes.

"Get a closer shave—face feels cool"

CALVERT LITTLE  
New Orleans, La.



Letric Shave conditions face and beard to help you get a closer, longer-lasting shave. And it's good for your shaver's cutting head.

**FREE SAMPLE**—Use Letric Shave with any make of shaver. At dealers everywhere—or send name and address to The J. B. Williams Co., Dept. LE-7, Glastonbury, Conn., U.S.A., for generous free bottle. (Offer good in U.S.A. and Canada only.)



## Letric Shave

Makes electric shaving easier

Rhyneclyffe  
TIES  
with the  
DOTS

Easier To Tie, Windsor  
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**Rhyneclyffe**  
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**GREAT**  
**COATS**

TAILORED  
TO FIT

At Your  
Favorite  
Men's Store

**COSMOPOLITAN**  
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**Novel Mr. PEANUT Bank**

Lustrous, colorful plastic, 8 1/4 in. high, in red, blue, green or peanut tan. Makes a nice gift. Yours for only 25c and two empty 3c PLANTERS PEANUTS bags. Send with your name and address—state color you want—to PLANTERS PEANUTS, Dept. BL, Wilkes-Barre, Pa.



May your happiness  
last as long  
as your diamond

Like the golden miracle of twilight, the gleam of your engagement diamond  
lends its glory to the world you share And as if by magic, this flame-flecked  
diamond stays the memories of happy moments, keeps reminding you for always  
of your first sweet hopes and dreams. It grows for you more lovely,  
more cherished through the years. Your diamond, though it may be modest in  
cost, should be chosen with care, for nothing else on earth can take its place.



Autumn Honeymoon . . . painted for the De Beers Collection by Jean Hugo

*a Diamond is forever*



1/4 carat (25 points) \$80 to \$215  
1/2 carat (50 points) \$200 to \$500  
1 carat (100 points) \$560 to \$1200  
2 carats (200 points) \$1200 to \$3000

The prices shown were secured for your guidance through a nation-wide check in July, 1950. Jewelers were asked for the prices of their top-grade engagement ring diamonds in the weights indicated. The result is a range of prices, varying according to the qualities offered by different jewelers. Exceptionally fine diamonds are, of course, higher priced. (Exact weights shown are infrequent.) Add Federal tax.

When choosing your engagement stone . . . remember color, cutting, and clarity, as well as carat weight, contribute to a diamond's beauty and value. It is important to seek the counsel of a trusted jeweler. He will help you find the size and quality and style of stone that is in keeping with your preferences, and what you wish to spend.

De Beers Consolidated Mines, Ltd.



# Who would take a chance with Jimmy?

One thing, and one thing only, you never have to teach a small boy. When he's in trouble he knows exactly what to do. He goes to Mother. That trust is a sacred thing. Doesn't it deserve the finest protection your hands can give? In first-aid dressings this would mean using the brand that most leading hospitals use - *Curity*. Can anything be *too* good for your Jimmy...at a time like this?

**Use the Same  
First-aid Dressings  
Most Leading  
Hospitals Use**



Most of America's leading hospitals use *Curity* Dressings as a standard of protection. Isn't it good to know that you can get these same famous dressings packaged for home use at any leading drug store?

# Curity

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**BAUER & BLACK**

Bauer & Black, Division of The Kendall  
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## SOME OF RADIO'S LESS APPETIZING MOMENTS

A few of the programs Mr. Crosby criticizes are: left to right (top) Ed and Pegeen Fitzgerald; Soap Opera Heroine Claudia Morgan (who actually has a sprained knee); Unfolded woman from audience of *Truth or Consequences* testing melons

for ripeness (she picked one of the heads); (bottom) Henry Aldrich (coatless), Captain Edwin Lane, a "regular" in *Life Begins at Eighty*; Mrs. Haugan who won a thousand dollars' worth of prizes in *Ladies Be Seated* as "Granny Be-Bop of 1949."

# SEVEN DEADLY SINS of the AIR

The "listeners' critic" points out mistakes of radio that television can—and had better—avoid

by JOHN CROSBY

**T**ELEVISION, a young giant which does not yet know its own strength, has become a member of eight million American homes. Eventually, despite delaying battles over color television, it will be in all of them, upsetting the household like any young obstreperous child. While it is still in its infancy, it might be well to lay down some rules about its table manners. If we value our sanity, we had better elevate television's deportment to a level much higher than that of its parent, radio.

Radio, of course, had many conspicuous virtues and seldom let us forget any of them. In 1926 it was the poor immigrant of the arts. By 1950 it had risen to fame and wealth, earned roughly \$500 million a year and had built a shrine to broadcasting, Radio City, to which millions of Americans made pilgrimages every year to pay homage to Mary Margaret McBride. It penetrated into 42 million American

In the four years that John Crosby has been reviewing radio and television for the New York *Herald Tribune*, he stoutly maintains he has never attended a broadcast; he regards himself as the "listeners' critic." His column is currently being syndicated in 41 newspapers.

homes and brought Americans the renowned voices of incoming Presidents, outgoing kings and Arthur Godfrey—to list them, more or less, in the reverse order of their importance. But radio, rich and powerful as it was, had some grave flaws in its character and, if the public and especially the broadcaster are not alerted

in time, television will inherit all of them. Radio had a lot to answer for, which might be lumped under the heading of its Seven Deadly Sins.

### 1) Radio sold its soul to the advertiser

Broadcasting sold its beautiful white body to the advertiser before it was old enough to know what it was doing. Radio, of course, is not the only medium supported by advertising, but it is the only one owned outright by it. Newspapers and magazines take money from the advertiser too. Their product—some of it good, some of it awful—belongs





Use specially soothing, specially medicated 'Chap Stick' when tender lips get chapped and sore.

'Chap Stick' is the only antiseptic lip balm. Its comforting relief is vouched for by millions in all walks of life. 'Chap Stick' is pocket-size... easy to apply... lasting in results.

MOTHER: Buy a 'Chap Stick' for the personal use of every member of your family.



## Men with work-roughened hands praise 'Chap-ans'!

"I'm a mechanic, and my hands mean money to me. Until I tried 'Chap-ans', I never could find a hand cream that would really help me to keep my hands in good shape."

'Chap-ans' is the only hand cream made especially for men. Specially medicated to bring swift relief to red, rough, cracked and calloused hands.

Surgeons, industrial workers, outdoor workers—all who work with their hands—will welcome this new, different hand cream in the man-sized tube. Easy to apply... quickly absorbed... wonderfully effective.



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to them and is controlled by them. In radio it is the other way around.

This situation is not entirely the fault of the broadcaster. Back in 1926, when radio first went commercial on a large scale, the advertiser came nosing around, trying to buy time as he would buy space on a billboard. But broadcasting then was largely in the hands of the engineers who were far more interested in producing a signal that could be heard clearly in Brooklyn than what that signal carried. These men had little experience or sympathy with show business. After a bit the advertiser got sick of hanging around waiting, and he went ahead and produced his own programs which radio stations were only too happy to broadcast in exchange for a certain amount of legal tender. So the advertiser—however reluctantly—got into show business up to his elbows, and the television broadcaster will have a hell of a time getting him out of there.

Well, the average advertising man is naturally attempting to sell the most goods to the most people. He feels—quite logically—that it is none of his business to fill a niche in broadcasting which everyone else is neglecting. In spite of a lot of clamor to the contrary, the advertiser doesn't give a hoot about putting on the air what the public wants to hear. Four years ago Paul Lazarsfeld of Columbia University revealed in a national survey that 50% of American women loathed soap opera. While gratifying the rather astonishing taste of the 50% of women who like soap opera, the advertiser failed utterly to put anything on the air to appeal to the 50% of women who hated it. Their radios stayed off all day; radio lost more than half of its daytime audience and ruined its daytime programming structure.

If television is not to follow this path which, in the long run, is ruinous to its own best interests, it must run its own shop. In this regard it is encouraging to note that the Columbia Broadcasting System, in its 1949 year-end report, revealed that the network owned more than 30 hours of its 45 hours a week of network TV shows. There are many other signs that television will be far less subservient to the advertiser than was radio. The extent of that subservience is best illustrated by a story M. H. Aylesworth, first president of NBC, tells on himself. Years ago Aylesworth, the most important executive in broadcasting at the time, used to dance—actually dance—to the piping of the president of the American Tobacco Company. The late George Washington Hill used to drop in to his office while the Lucky Strike Dance Orchestra was on the air and make Aylesworth dance with a feminine member of the NBC staff to make sure the tempo was right for dancing. It is doubtful whether William S. Paley would submit to such an indignity today. And it's high time.

## 2) Radio never fully exploited its enormous potentialities

Back in the '20s, Secretary of Commerce Herbert Hoover hailed radio as the greatest potential purveyor of news, music, culture, education and entertainment of all time. But radio never lived up to this bright promise. Its growth was stunted by the success of a few formulas: the big comedians like Jack Benny; the family comedy like Henry Aldrich; the soap opera; the whodunit; the audience-participation show; the dramatization of successful movies; the quiz show, and so on. Five hours of soap opera in the daytime and four hours—block programming is the official name for it—of whodunits at night. Amnesia in the afternoon and death in the evening. Radio did its best to make neurotics out of a whole generation of housewives with its soap operas alone, an endless succession of unfortunate heroines stricken with hysterical blindness. Hysterical blindness, incidentally, is one of the rarest ailments known to mankind but, at one time, half of the soap-opera heroines on the air came down with it at once as if it were measles. (One of them contracted it by eating chocolate cake.)

The lack of balance in radio's programming, however, is not so much of a sin of commission as one of omission. Radio's contribution to education, from which so much was expected, was practically nonexistent. The best the broadcaster could do was to plant four intellectuals around a table. One of them would lift a forefinger and say, "I think." The man across the table would lift his forefinger and say, "I disagree." Whenever he was accused of neglecting—some critics went so far as to accuse him of debasing—the culture of his country, the broadcaster retorted that he had broadcast at one time or other virtually all the world's great books and plays. He had, too—usually around midnight when the clientele was in bed.

It is depressing to note that television has already gone hog-wild over one formula—the vaudeville show. Everyone is trying to be Milton Berle. There is only one Milton Berle, and a great many people think that's one too many. Still, the nation's TV screens are filled from 8 to 11 night after night with imitation Milton Berles



## More People Wear Work Clothes Bearing a LEE Label than any other brand!

Lee Riders (genuine western cowboy pants)—Lee Dungarees and Work Shirts—Lee Overalls and Overall Jackets—Lee Boys' Riders and Overalls—Lee Union-Alls.

Sanitized for permanent fit  
THE L. B. LEE COMPANY, INC.  
Kansas City, Mo., San Francisco, Calif., Minneapolis, Minn., South Bend, Ind., Trenton, N. J.



WORLD'S LARGEST MANUFACTURER OF UNION-MADE WORK CLOTHES

## THROW AWAY NICOTINE

When the Filter in Medico Pipes or Cigarette Holders turns brown, throw it away with the nicotine, tars, juices and flakes it has trapped. Insert a fresh Filter for cooler, cleaner, dryer, purer smoking!



Pipes of specially selected imported briar. \$2  
Wide variety of shapes. With 10 filters...  
Also Frank Medico "Standard"...  
America's Outstanding Dollar (\$1) Pipe  
Frank Medico Cigarette Holders \$1 & \$2

## MEDICO FILTERED SMOKING

Write to S. M. Frank & Co., New York 22, for booklet.  
ALL MEDICO PIPES NOW MADE OF PRE-WAR QUALITY IMPORTED BRIAR

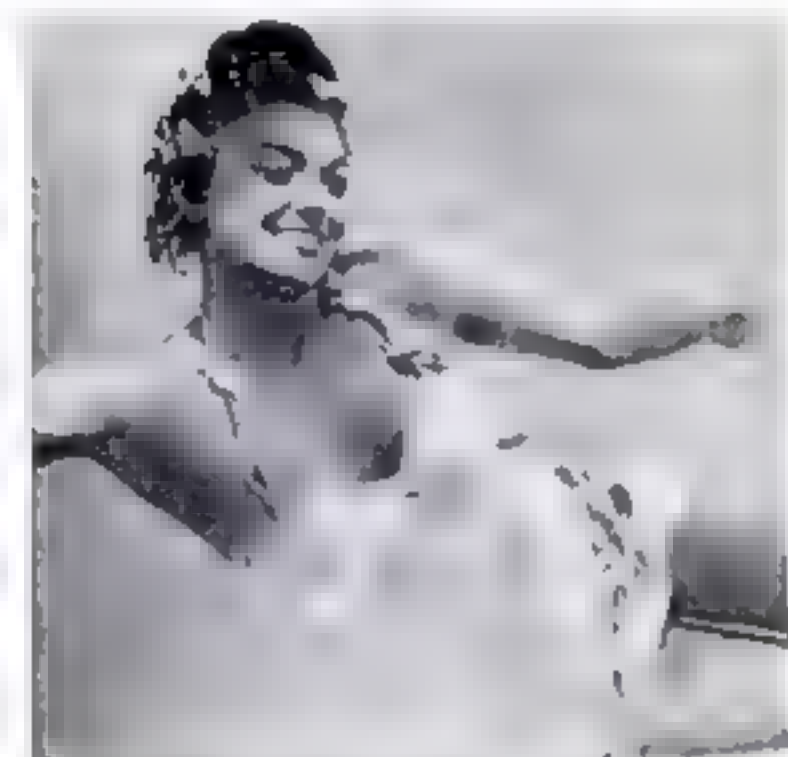


**"7 hours in water left me dry!"**

says **ESTHER WILLIAMS**,  
co-starring with Howard Keel  
in MGM's Technicolor Musical  
**"PAGAN LOVE SONG"**



IF DISHWASHING DRIES YOUR HANDS, IMAGINE MY SKIN AFTER SHOOTING SWIM SCENES FOR "PAGAN LOVE SONG". SOME DAYS I WAS IN WATER 7 FULL HOURS.



**THE SALT WATER** left my skin feeling dry and rough.



**LATER I** had to clutch heavy wooden paddles that rasped my hands.



**BUT I USED** soothing Jergens Lotion from my fingertips to my toes...



**IT KEPT MY SKIN** beautifully soft and smooth for romantic closeups.



**BEING LIQUID**, Jergens Lotion is quickly absorbed by thirsty skin.

**CAN YOUR LOTION  
OR HAND CREAM PASS  
THIS "FILM TEST"?**

To soften, a lotion or cream should be absorbed by the upper layers of the skin. Jergens Lotion contains quickly-absorbed ingredients doctors recommend—no heavy oils that merely coat the skin. Proof? Water won't "bead" on a hand smoothed with Jergens Lotion as on a hand coated with a lotion or cream that leaves a heavy, oily film.

**YOU CAN PROVE** it yourself with the simple test described above...



**YOU'LL SEE** why Jergens Lotion is my head-to-toe beauty secret...

**Jergens  
Lotion**

used by more women  
than any other hand care  
in the world

still...10¢ to \$1 plus tax

**AND IS USED** by Hollywood stars 7 to 1 over other hand cares!



Smart Choice for  
LIFE IN THE OPEN...

an  
Albert  
Richard  
GREATCOAT



ALBERT-RICHARD  
GREATCOATS...

new secret to warmer  
winters? Styles, sizes  
for men, women, boys,  
unions, in water-repel-  
lent rayon, cotton, part  
of a wool gabardine  
lined with Alpaca Pile,  
or soft quilted with  
Spun Sun® or wool  
interlining.  
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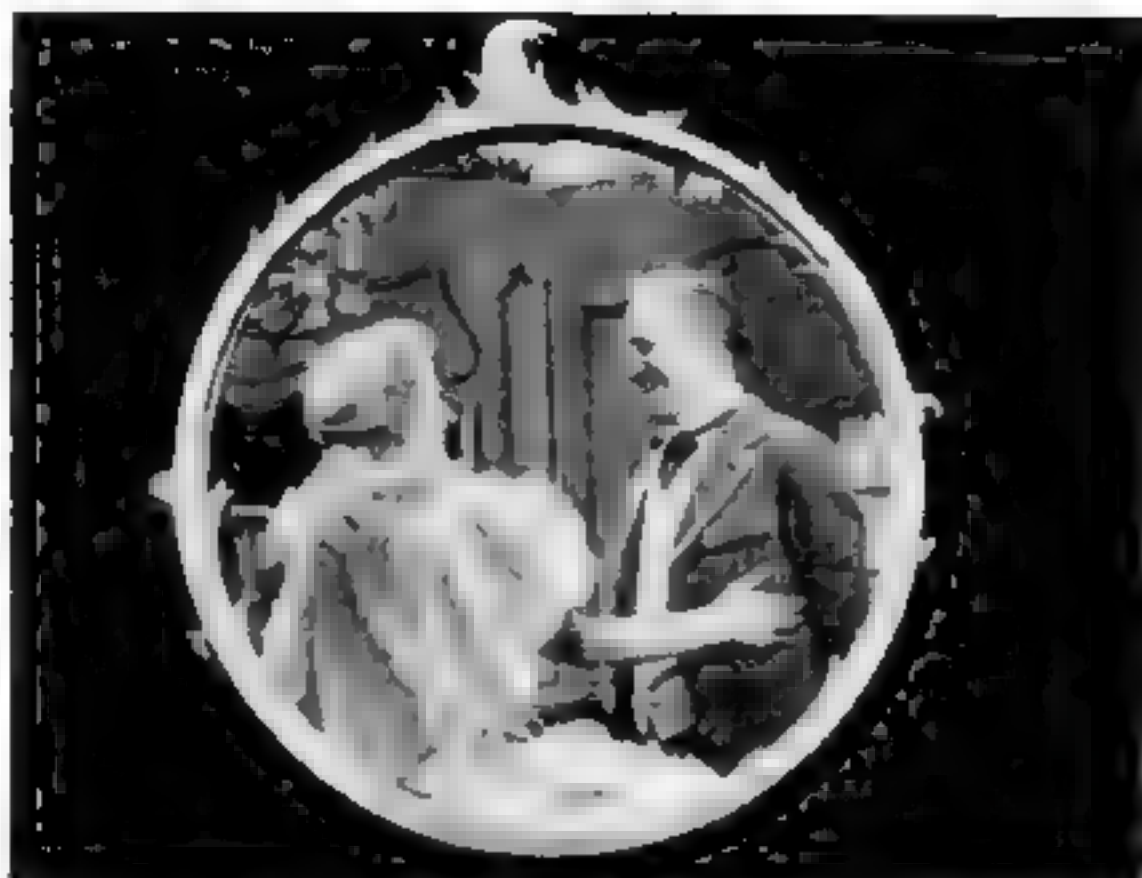
Meet the warmest Mr. & Mrs. team  
in town—snugly geared for a blowy  
winter in their stunning new  
Albert-Richard Greatcoats! Mag-  
nificently styled, these coats are  
cut for super comfort without a  
bit of excess bulk, deftly tail-  
ored with finicky attention to  
details—even those you can't  
see. Check these Action-Fit\*  
beauties today—the price  
will amaze you!

Special! Albert-Richard  
colorful 1950 Football Map  
FREE at your dealer's.  
Write for his name. To get  
map direct, send 25c in coin  
to Albert-Richard, division of  
Fried, Ostermann Co., Milwau-  
kee 4, Wisconsin.

Albert  
Richard

ALBERT-RICHARD

Gloves by Albert-Richard... different from the ordinary  
they're Action-Fit® for complete finger freedom.  
\*TM



HEALTHY SIGN in television is *Studio One* program, partly  
because CBS owns it and sells space to Westinghouse, instead of  
letting ad agency control the show. Above: Ilona Massey and Jud-  
son Laire in dramatization of Henry James's *The Ambassadors*.

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and an interminable procession of torch singers and tap dancers,  
interspersed with what appears to be the same dog act. If that dog  
ever died, the \$350 million television industry would be in a fix.

Television is a far more versatile medium than radio and too im-  
portant a national asset to be given over exclusively to soft-shoe  
routines. The television broadcaster should determine in his own  
mind the importance—not the popularity but the importance—of  
the various types of programs he is capable of presenting. One of  
the most popular features of a newspaper is the comic strip, but no  
editor would dream of filling the whole newspaper with them.

3) Radio consistently pandered to the lowest tastes and  
almost ignored the highest

As a mass medium radio had to try to please all sorts of ages and  
incomes and cultural levels at the same time. Eventually, though,  
its passion for bigness became a megalomania. It aimed so diligently  
at the lowest common denominator of society that it never square-  
ly hit any level at all.

By so conducting its operations, radio earned the contempt of  
the educated and cultivated people of the land. This comparatively  
small group exerts an influence far out of proportion to its num-  
bers. These people, whom radio ignored, own and operate indus-  
try. They edit the newspapers. They write the books and plays.  
They imprinted their scorn on all levels of society. And, while the  
American people listened to radio in vast numbers, they never quite  
respected it.

To get rid of this regrettable heritage, the TV broadcaster should  
call attention to the fact that he has put on the air many things be-  
sides Hopalong Cassidy. He ought to remind the folks that he has  
televised *Julius Caesar*, *Macbeth*, *The Scarlet Letter*, *The Dybbuk*,  
*The Copperhead*, *Dear Brutus*, *The Comedy of Errors*, *Wuth-  
ering Heights*, *Barchester Towers* and scores of the greatest books  
and plays of all time. Neither the stage nor the movies can claim  
so distinguished a roster in so short a space of time. Yet television  
is considered a moronic form of entertainment simply because it  
became fashionable to regard any form of broadcasting as moronic,  
which shows how dangerous it is to ignore the minority groups of  
the American public.

4) Radio was morally irresponsible to the American people

Television is either going to elevate American tastes—or it's go-  
ing to debase them. It's not going to leave them alone. The radio  
broadcaster, prodded from behind by a slick public-relations man,  
used to protest that radio was the mirror of the American people;  
that, if you criticized radio, you criticized the American people. It  
was a very clever and very specious argument. But it was not the  
responsibility of the listener to request something he had never  
heard of. It was radio's—and it is now television's responsibility  
to improve its own product. Granted that the competitive situa-  
tion was different, the automobile industry didn't produce the self-  
starter only after it was suggested by a disgruntled automobile  
buyer. Similarly the housewife is not going to outline for the bene-  
fit of the TV industry any bright new ideas for a television program.  
The industry will have to do its own creative thinking.

Radio derived enormous, and I think wholly false, satisfaction

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Brighter Shines  
WITH  
½ THE RUBBING



Because it Recolors and  
Polishes at the Same Time

● Kiwi helps to keep your shoes softer  
and more comfortable.

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Be Sure It's REINFORCED  
with LONGER LASTING\*

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Wire INSULATORS



LOOK FOR  
THIS TAG!

\*Tests prove wire Insulators last more than twice  
as long as other insulators. Insist on PERM-A-  
LATORS and get greater comfort... longer-  
lasting mattresses and upholstered furniture.  
Write for Free Booklet!

PERM-A-LATORS, Inc., Carthage, Mo.  
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BLUE JAY SAY:

"Fix CORNS  
quick!"

BLUE  
JAY

FAST, SURE RELIEF

AMERICA'S No. 1 CORN PLASTER  
SAVE YOUR SNAPSHOTS

Mounties  
Fit BETTER Stick BETTER Look BETTER

10c AT CHAIN, DRUG AND VARIETY STORES

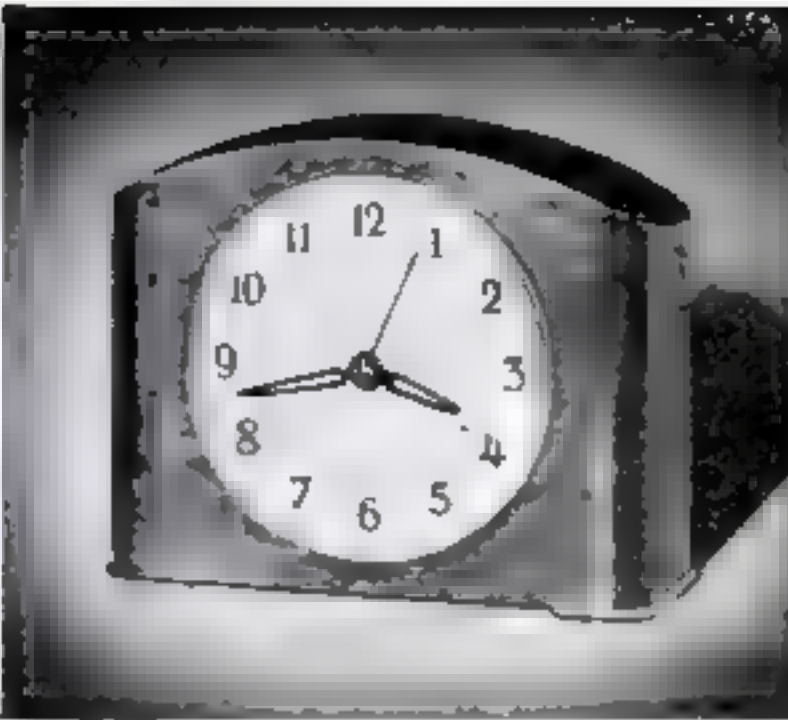




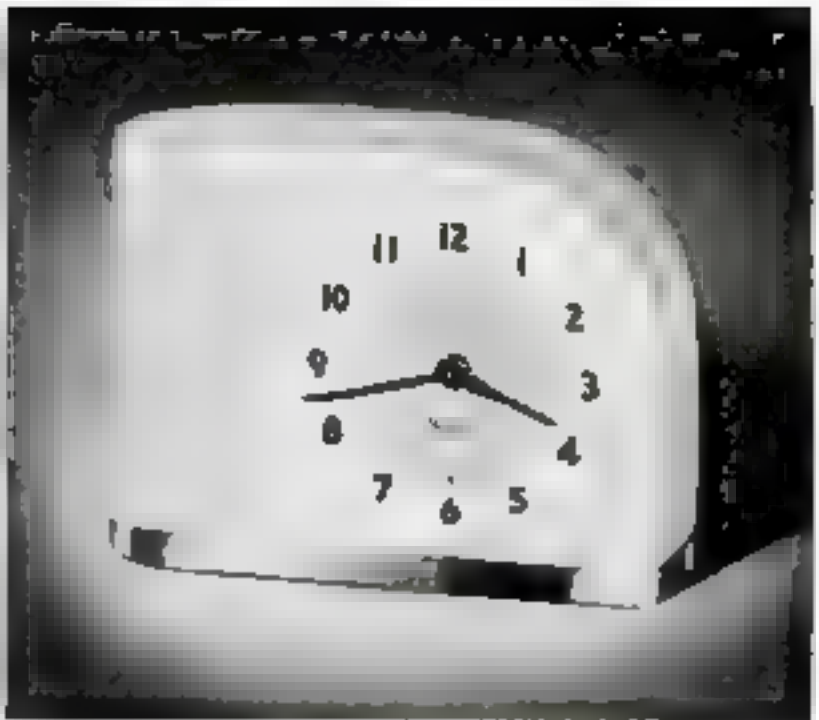
**BIG BEN ELECTRIC ALARM.** This handsome fellow calls you cheerfully; his pleasant bell alarm adjusts to loud or soft. Comes in plain or luminous dials.



**MELODY ELECTRIC WALL CLOCK.** New, versatile, brilliant. Adaptable to any room, any color scheme. Removable case ring comes in a variety of colors.



**GREENWICH ELECTRIC ALARM.** Combines beauty of a rich mahogany-finish wood case with utility of a pleasant bell alarm. Comes in plain or luminous dials.



**MOONBEAM ELECTRIC ALARM.** A gift that's "different." A new idea in alarms. "First he blinks . . . then he rings." Comes in plain or luminous dials.



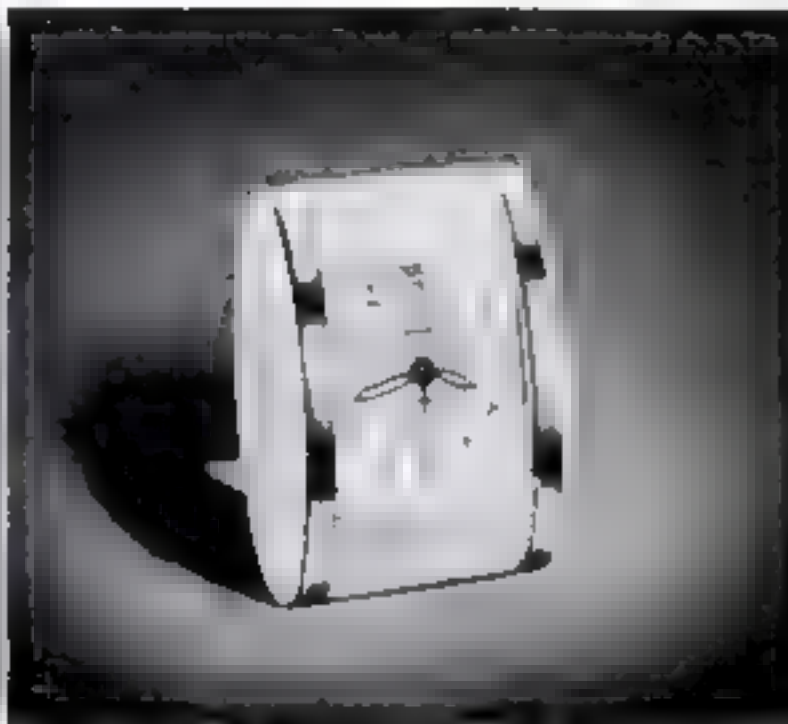
*You give a long-remembered gift*  
**WHEN YOU GIVE A WESTCLOX!**



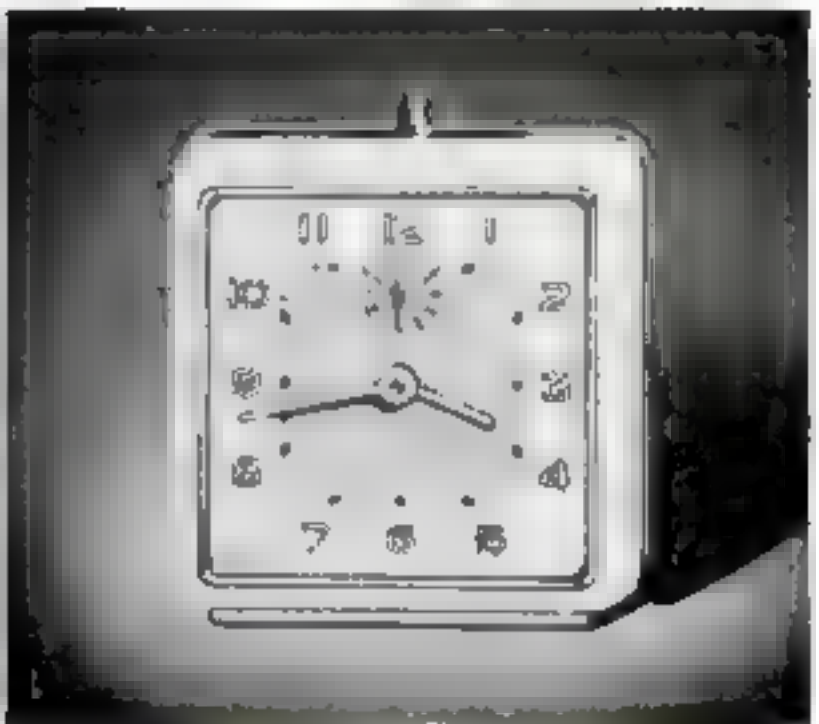
**BABY BEN ALARM.** Quiet tick; alarm adjusts to loud or soft. **BIG BEN LOUD ALARM.** Has intermittent "fire alarm gong." Both, in plain or luminous dials.



**BIG BEN CHIME ALARM.** Quiet tick permits restful sleep. When it's time to rouse you, "first he whispers, then he shouts." Comes in plain or luminous dials.



**TRAVELARM.** An ingenious little beauty! Closes up like a clam for traveling. Flip it open, it's on duty and on time. Comes in luminous dial for 24-hour service.



**GENERAL ALARM.** If you prefer a square clock, here's an attractive Westclox alarm at an extremely attractive price. Comes in plain or luminous dials.



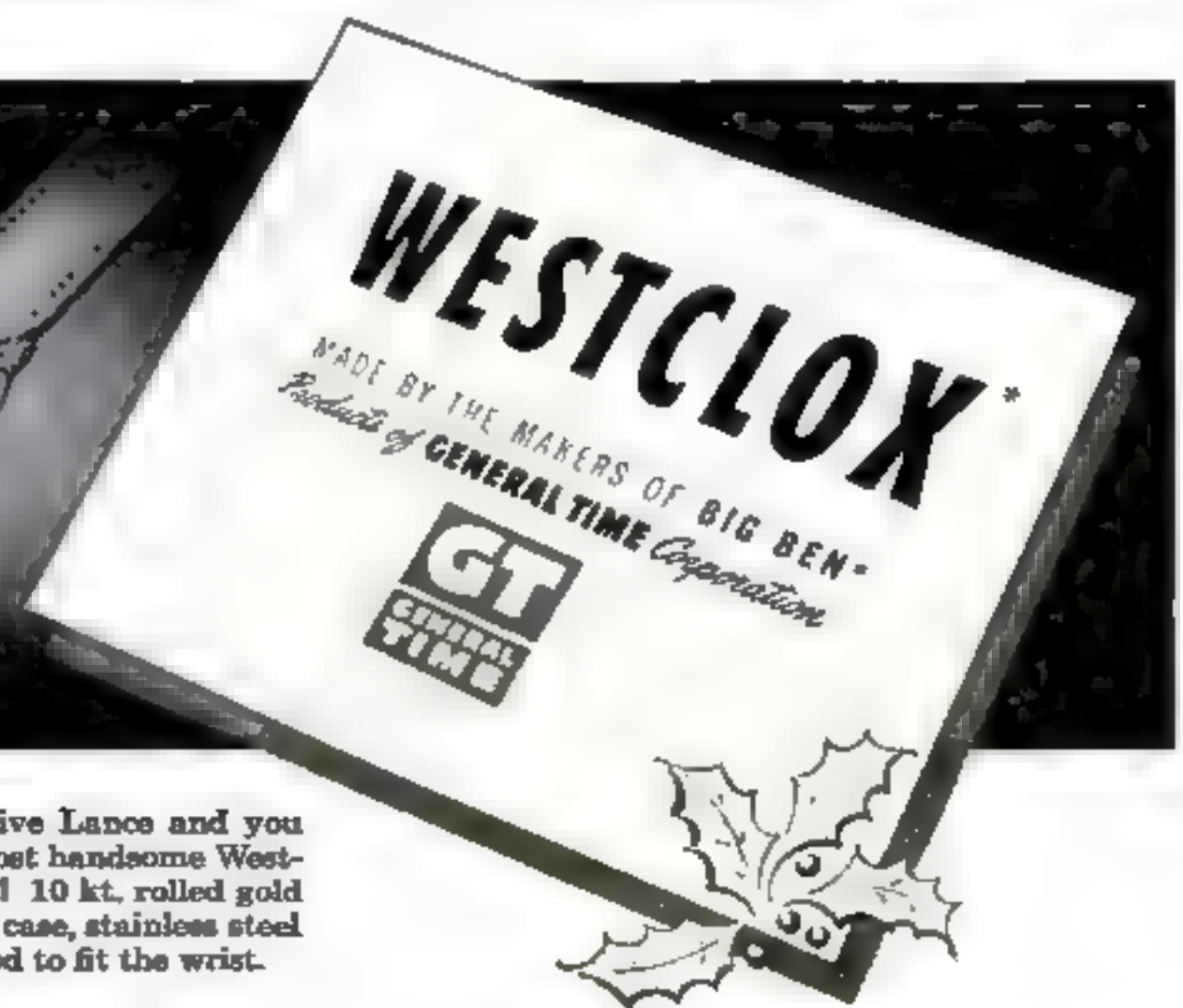
**POCKET BEN.** The champion of pocket watches—thin, good-looking, famous for dependability and long life. Comes in plain or luminous dials.



**WRIST BEN.** This smartly-styled new watch is built to take rugged use. Ideal for active men and boys. Comes in plain or luminous dials.

**RAJAH.** Small and handsome for dress; sturdy for work or play. Has smart chrome finish front case, stainless steel back, curved to fit the wrist.

**LANCE.** Give Lance and you give the most handsome Westclox watch! 10 kt. rolled gold plate front case, stainless steel back, curved to fit the wrist.





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short, tall or average women. And  
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from counting heads and assuming unwarrantably that they were contented heads. No matter what television puts on the air, it is going to have an enormous audience, and the TV broadcaster had better not mistake this fact—as did the radio broadcaster—as automatic proof that he is doing a wonderful job. Every TV program will inform or educate or morally elevate or emotionally stimulate a lot of people. Or it will deceive or degrade or hypnotize them. It won't leave them unscathed. The broadcaster's responsibility therefore is an imposing one. He should judge every one of his programs—as well as his over-all program structure—with one thing in mind: it will do a great many people some good or it will do a great many people some harm.

In order to do this, television must develop some personal standards of excellence, which is something radio never did. Radio borrowed its standards from other media and, in those cases where there weren't any earlier standards to fall back on, it didn't have any. According to this method of operation, a great radio play was simply the dramatization of a good movie, a good book or a good play. Some of the best radio dramas were written solely for radio but because they had not received the prior endorsement of a book, a movie or a theater critic, the industry looked down upon them as not quite respectable. If television is ever to amount to anything of cultural importance, it should rid itself of the idea that it's the motion picture industry, the book business or the stage. It's a big, new art form of its own. It was radio's lack of standards that led to that dizzy lunacy known as the giveaway program. Radio programs gave away washing machines, Cadillacs, \$1,000 bills, houses—everything, in fact, except women. I could never quite understand that lone omission. If Bert Parks had thrown a beautiful 18-year-old babe into the jackpot of *Stop The Music*, even I would have stayed home and listened for the telephone. But he wouldn't. Some faint moral scruple—or conceivably fear of the Federal Communications Commission—stayed the broadcaster from this final depravity. The Roman emperors who gave the populace bread and circuses—which is what radio was imitating with its giveaway programs—also threw in sexual orgies, and it always seemed to me inconsistent of the broadcasters not to follow through with the thing. I brought this to the attention of several vice presidents, but they failed to see any humor in the suggestion. They also failed to see anything wrong with the giveaway program, which shows where a lack of moral standards leads.

The television boys could have an enormous and somewhat similar type of success with another type of program—the strip tease. The way I see this program—I'm just thinking off the top of my head here, Mannie—we'll get a pretty dame in front of the camera and have her take off one lone, solitary garment a week, taking her time, of course. At the end of 39 weeks—just by coincidence she'll be wearing 39 articles of apparel—I positively, absolutely guarantee we'll have a Hooperating twice as big as Milton Berle's. And if any bluenose society comes nosing around, we can always tell them that, after all, every member of our audience is an American and that any criticism of our program is a criticism of the American people. I tell you, Mannie, it can't miss.

#### 5) Radio was avaricious

A man who wants to start a newspaper or magazine—and has enough money to do it—starts one and keeps it going as long as the public wants it. If he wants to start a radio station, though, it's different. Radio stations are limited by the number of broadcast frequencies. And by the law established in 1934 the FCC allots those frequencies "in the public interest, convenience or necessity." The FCC doesn't give the broadcasters those frequencies; each station is merely loaned the frequency on its promise to use it in the best interests of the listeners who are its real owners. That's the law, but you wouldn't know it from listening to the radio. While a few stations, such as New York City's WNYC and many of the 100-odd educational stations, are publicly owned, the vast majority of stations are privately owned and operated. And although these stations have their frequencies on loan, they seem to regard them in the same manner as they do the microphones and the washrooms. The promises made to FCC by the applicants for frequencies make very funny reading in the light of their subsequent performances. In fact, for all practical purposes, the broadcaster does own his frequency, once he has gotten it.

Many sizable fortunes were made in radio. In 24 years the advertiser poured billions of dollars into radio. Where did it go? Well, let's take the \$500 million annual income and slice it up. In the first place, 15% of it, or \$75 million, went into the pockets of the advertising agencies, which is enough to keep an awful lot of ad-men's wives in mink for some time. Now what did the advertising men do

### RELIEVES PAIN OF HEADACHE · NEURALGIA NEURITIS

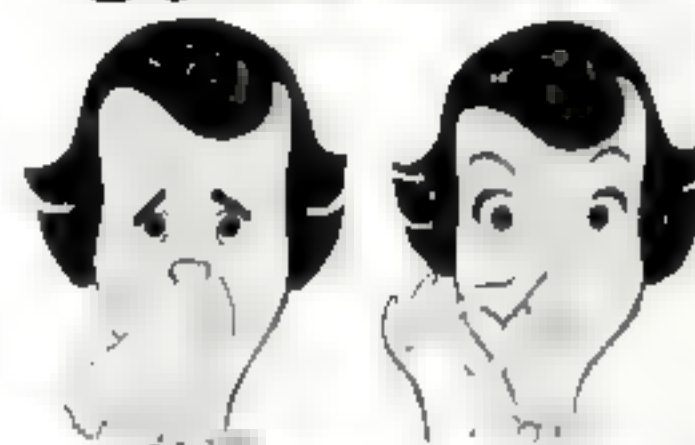
## FAST

The way  
thousands of  
physicians  
and dentists  
recommend



The way thousands of physicians and dentists recommend. Anacin® relieves headache, neuralgia, neuritis pain fast because Anacin is like a doctor's prescription—that is, Anacin contains not just one, but a combination of medically proven, active ingredients in easy-to-take tablet form. Thousands have been introduced to Anacin through their own dentist or physicians. If you have never used Anacin, try these tablets yourself for incredibly fast, long-lasting relief from pain. Don't wait. Buy Anacin today.

## GREATER



## BREATHING

Just a whiff of this handy Vicks Inhaler makes cold-stuffed nose feel clearer in seconds! Use it any time... anywhere.

## COMFORT



Use as often as needed.

## HOW TO GIVE QUICK REST TO TIRED EYES

Put two drops of soothing Murine in each eye. Instantly your tired eyes feel fresh, rested, wide-awake. Refreshing Murine, a scientific blend of seven ingredients, cleanses your eyes quickly, surely—yet as gently as a tear. Keep Murine handy. Use it regularly, whenever your eyes tell you to.







# When A FELLA'S UNDER THE WEATHER

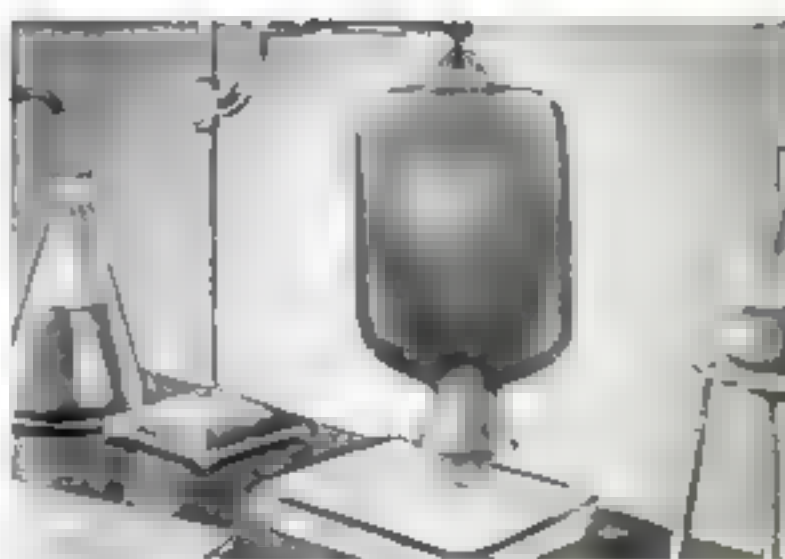
... Mom has comforting relief right at hand. It's that reliable stand-by, the Faultless "Wearever" Water Bottle.

For safety's sake be confident your water bottle is ready for every possible use. Buy Faultless "Wearever," family friend since 1899. Gives you the extra sturdiness of one-piece construction ... a mirror-smooth surface that stays clean and sanitary ... and a new, absolutely leakproof stopple.

See the Faultless "Wearever" Water Bottles your druggist is now featuring. Priced from \$1.49 to \$2.98.

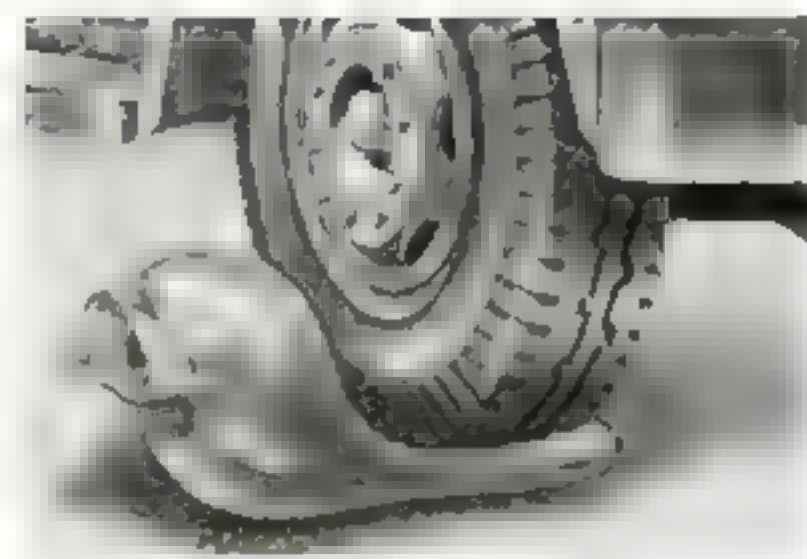
**THE FAULTLESS RUBBER COMPANY**  
**ASHLAND, OHIO**

*Manufacturers of household rubber goods, industrial and automotive sponge rubber and a wide range of bulb specialties.*



**Not a drop in 14 days!**

This Faultless "Wearever" Water Bottle was suspended upside down over a drip pan for 14 days. Not a drop passed Faultless' absolutely leakproof stopple.



**Withstands terrific pressure!**

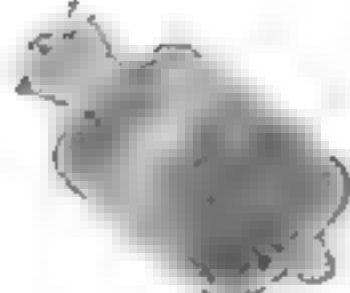
Sturdy, one-piece construction and reinforced edges enable Faultless "Wearever" Water Bottles to withstand punishing pressure without bursting or leaking.

***Faultless***

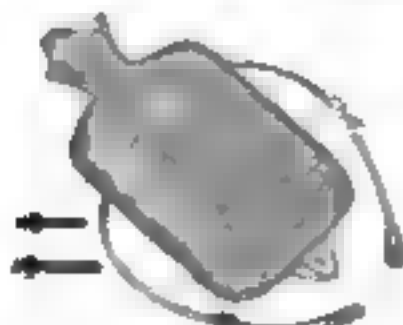
**"WEAREVER" RUBBER GOODS**  
**for home and hospital**



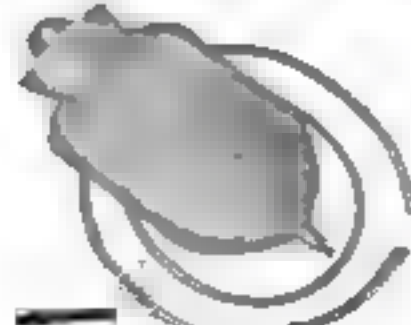
No. 340 Kumfy Water Bottle



No. 90 Water Bottle, Ivory



No. 403 Comb. Bottle & Syringe



No. 472 Fountain Syringe



No. 156 Oval Ice Cup



No. 175 Household Gloves



Rubber Sponge



# CHOCOLATE

So good

You'll want another

and another



Four wonderful chocolate flavors:

MINT—green pack  
RUM—red pack  
NONPAREIL—blue pack  
MILK—brown pack

Ummm... Rockwood Chocolate Wafers. Solid wafers of smooth rich chocolate...delightful to eat!

MAKE THIS \$10,000 PRIZE COOKY

Also, use Rockwood Mint Chocolate Wafers to make Pillsbury's \$10,000 prize-winning Starlight Mint Surprise Cookies. You'll find the recipe in every package of

ROCKWOOD MINT CHOCOLATE WAFERS (Large Size)

PILLSBURY'S BEST ENRICHED FLOUR



for CHOCOLATE that's good say **ROCKWOOD**



ONE OF RADIO'S BIG MISTAKES was letting in the studio audience. Actor or comedian promptly forgot all about listeners.

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to earn that \$75 million? Well, a lot of them worked very hard for it, of course, assembling the whole show. But there is also a very pleasant way to "assemble a show" that quickly became popular. This method, which now constitutes about 15% of the programs, is the package deal. Rather than strain his own mind producing a show, the advertiser simply found a package producer. If the package happened to be *Information Please*, he paid as much as \$11,000 a week for what cost its owner, Dan Golenpaul, from \$5,000 to \$7,500 to produce. For consummating this deal the ad-man made about 15% of the cost, or \$64,350 for the year—a 39-week year. He didn't net this, of course, because he had to pay out a lot of it for such things as his fixed expenses, liaison between the package producer and the sponsor and advertising the program. Just the same, say he grossed \$64,350. That's still an awfully nice gross.

Young couples like Dorothy Kilgallen and Dick Kollmar cleared as much as \$100,000 a year for chattering over their breakfast cups about the people they'd seen the night before. Writers got \$2,000 a week in Hollywood for copying down Fred Allen's jokes and putting them on Bob Hope's program. The offices of network vice presidents began to look like something out of the Palazzo Venezia, and network presidents, in order to be properly differentiated from their vice presidents, had to add wainscoted private dining rooms with their own kitchens. There would be nothing especially wrong with this opulence, but radio, after all, is a semipublic institution, so it has a responsibility to the public to produce at least some programs that are in the best interests of the public.

Both the advertiser and the broadcaster had plenty of money to put a new idea or a new personality on the air and keep it there until the public accepted it. Rarely was this done. The old faces—the Jack Bennys and Fred Allens and Amos 'n' Andys—got richer, and there were no new faces and no new ideas. In the end this dollar worship proved almost disastrous. When Jack Benny was lured from NBC to CBS by the promise of more dollars (2.3 million of them, to be exact), NBC's entire program structure almost fell apart.

As things now look, there will be far fewer channels for television stations than there were for radio. These channels are national assets and they should be treated as such both by you and me, who own them, and by the broadcaster who is permitted to exploit them.

## 6) Radio created an insulting picture of the American people

The broadcaster and the advertising man never got to know the American people very well. They genuflected to the most clamorous and idiotic elements of America. The letter writers, for example. Mae West once appeared on the Charlie McCarthy program and let fly a few remarks which appeared to be out of bounds. The repercussion shook NBC to its foundations. Yet when the smoke had cleared away it developed that only 15,000 persons, not all of them angry, had written in about the broadcast—out of an audience of roughly 20 million. It was difficult to explain to the broadcaster that most Americans don't write letters. They turn the damn thing off and go bowling.

Then there was the studio audience—Americans all—who shrieked with laughter and applauded like maniacs at the most feeble witticisms. After all, they had been let in free and they were encouraged and, in some cases, almost forced to show their appreciation. The studio audience was brought into radio by Ed Wynn, and Eddie Cantor,

for Outdoor  
'Sports'  
those  
Authentic  
Western Denims

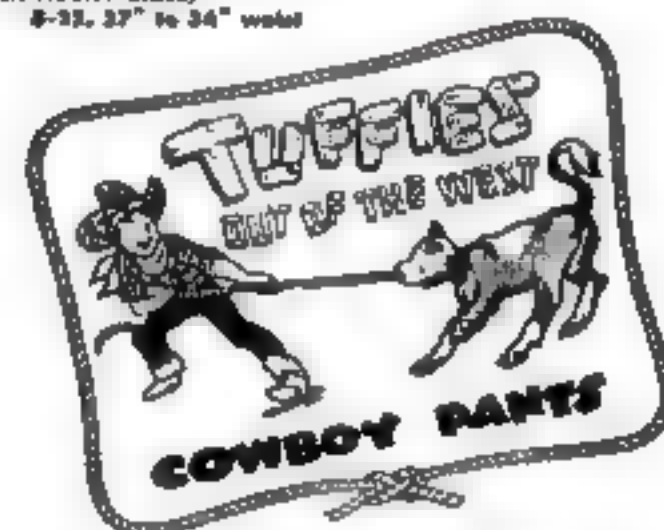
TUFFIES OUT OF THE WEST are made of real, 8-oz., SANFORIZED blue denim . . . copper riveted, double-stitched with heavy orange thread. Inside swinging pockets. They are UNCONDITIONALLY GUARANTEED!

with Zippers!

\$2.69

ANYWHERE IN U.S.A.

IN REGULAR SIZES,  
1-32, 30" to 32" waist  
ON MOUNTY SIZES,  
32-34, 32" to 34" waist



...and for Girls too!

Authentic western style,  
leg, 8-oz., Sanforized  
blue denim, ZIPPER  
side opening.  
In All Sizes  
Anywhere  
in U.S.A.

\$3.45



Manufactured by  
BELANDIA CLOTHING MANUFACTURERS, INC.  
OKLAHOMA CITY 1, OKLA.



How to make  
a little girl happy...

GIVE HER A REAL

Thayer  
DOLL  
HI-CHAIR



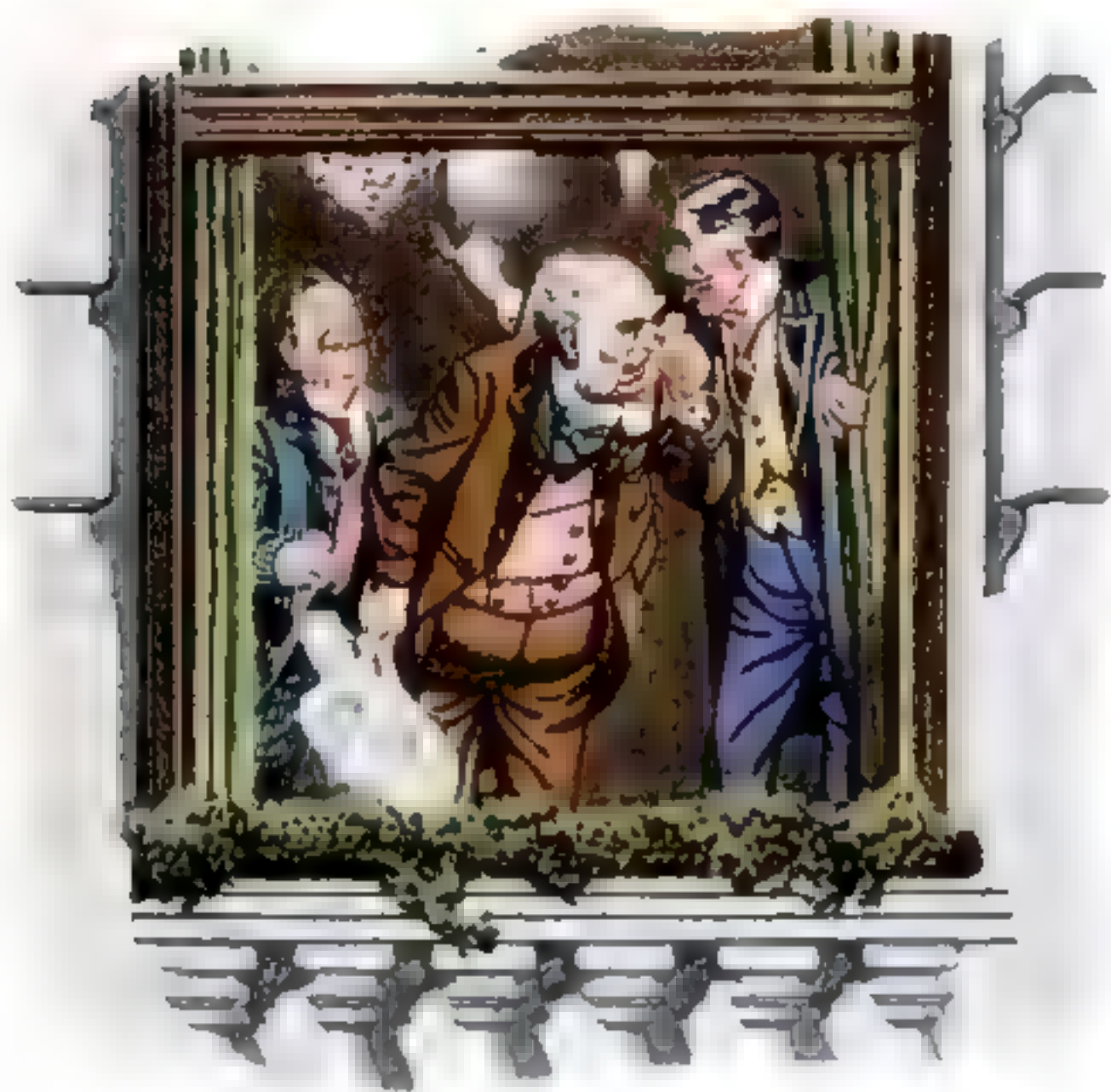
Here's a dream present for a lucky little doll mother... a doll hi chair made exactly like the famous Thayer Hi-Chairs which are America's favorite for real babies! It's just one of the many thrills awaiting your daughter in your dealer's Thayer Wonderland of doll carriages, strollers and other doll furniture. See them now. And send 10¢ for your copy of "SALLY LOU AND MINERVA HER DOLL" to Thayer, Inc. Dept. L-14, Gardner, Mass.



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NO MATTER WHAT FAIR VISION  
SET GRANDPA'S EYES A-LIGHT—



HIS CRONIES KNEW WHAT GAVE HIM  
EVEN MORE DELIGHT —



THIS MELLOW, OLD-TIME FLAVOR  
THAT YOU CAN TASTE TONIGHT —



JUST TELL THE MAN  
YOU WANT IMPERIAL!



**IMPERIAL** is made by Hiram Walker.

And Hiram Walker's 92 years at fine whiskey-making makes Imperial good!





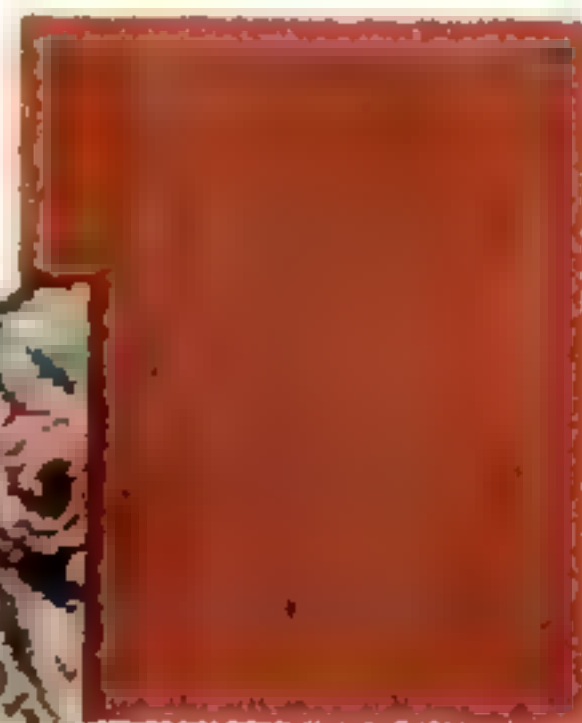
**Beauvais 1040-1843.** One of the newest, freshest-looking carpets you'll find anywhere today...sophisticated, yet casual. And it's a money's-worth marvel. About \$11.95\* a sq. yd.



**Sonata 1970-7850;** about \$23.50\* sq. yd.



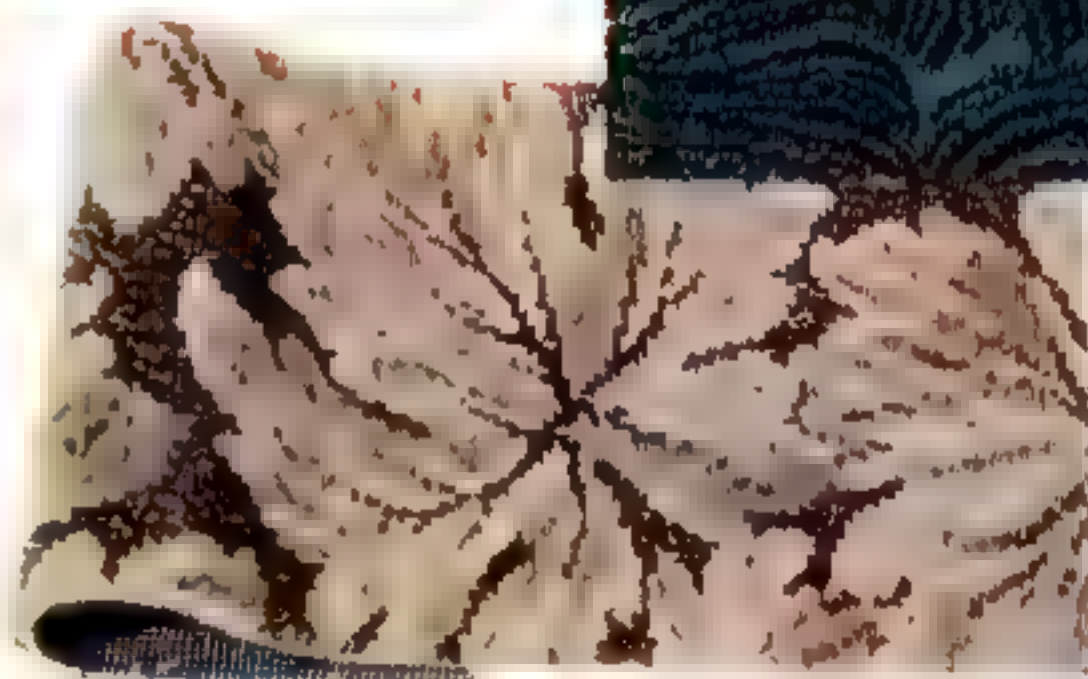
**Fervak 1020-9438;** around \$9.25\* sq. yd.



**Clentwist 204-94300;** around \$13.50\* sq. yd.



**Beauvais 1040-1827;** about \$11.95\* sq. yd.



**Beauvais 1040-1844;** about \$11.95\* sq. yd.



**Sun Valley 412-20190.** A new Bigelow Wilton broadloom creation, with a rather modern air. Note the "sculptured" look of the leaf design. An outstanding buy at about \$12.75\* a sq. yd.

## On every floor... a beautiful, affordable Bigelow!

Today—let your Bigelow dealer match  
a Bigelow beauty to your pocketbook!

WHAT IF YOU'RE *NOT* a millionaire—and still want a carpet that looks like a million! That wears like a jewel! Whether you plan to spend several hundred dollars, or only \$90 or so, your Bigelow dealer can show you your ideal...

Because genuine Bigelow Carpets, famed for wear and beauty, come in prices to fit *every* purse. Whatever you pay, you'll be getting a carpet that looks and behaves like the real aristocrat it is.

Bigelow uses only the choicest imported wools—rich, tough, springy wool, treated to keep "lively." And another important ingredient—125 years of superb carpet craftsmanship.

And talk about style! Bigelow gives you a wide, exciting choice! Modern or traditional designs. Patterned or textured or plain. In whatever colors thrill you most. How will you have *your* Bigelow? In the popular 9' x 12' size? Or room-shaped—cut to fit the contours of your room? Or laid lavishly from wall to wall? Whatever you want, you just can't get a better buy than a Bigelow.

Consult the booklet, "Bigelow Home Decorator." Tells, shows how to achieve beautiful rooms. Get it from your Bigelow dealer, or send 25¢ to Bigelow Home Service Bureau, P.O. Box 756, New York 46, N. Y.

\*Prices subject to change. Slightly higher in the West.



## Bigelow

### Rugs and Carpets

Beauty you can see... quality you can trust... since 1825



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a couple of veterans of the stage, who couldn't function without it. Immediately the subtleties of the pioneer radio comedians—Stoopnagle and Budd and the early audienceless *Amos 'n Andy*—were drowned in a torrent of boffolos which were provoked by a much lower level of humor. The introduction of this audience which stood between the entertainer and his real audience—two or three people in a living room—was one of the most lamentable mistakes ever made by radio.

Another reason why radio so profoundly misunderstood the American people can be ascribed to its points of origin. At the start some of the best radio programs emanated from Chicago, Cincinnati and a host of other communities. When radio grew rich and successful it settled immovably in New York and Hollywood, two of the least characteristic cities in the country. Radio became a troglodyte. About 70% of the costliest and most important programs emanated from Hollywood, a city so far removed from the main stream of American life that the listener had to have a special frame of reference to understand the jokes. The smog; the irresponsibility of the Los Angeles motorists; Cucamonga. That was the stuff of which radio spun its dreams. It was not only trivia; it was *local* trivia.

Television is still young and some of its best programs are coming from Chicago, Philadelphia and Washington—as well as from New York and Hollywood. It would be to television's best interests, to say nothing of ours, if a fair share of its programs came from and represented all parts of the country. Above all, television shouldn't spend too much time in southern California. It will get orange-juice poisoning (softening of the brain).

7) Radio was cowardly

With the exception of its first Deadly Sin, radio's seventh was the worst of all. Rich and influential as was radio, it was the most timid medium of them all. Radio was afraid to offend the Negroes, the Irish, the Jews or the Women's Bowling League of East Orange, N.J. Hugh Johnson wasn't allowed to broadcast a script that discussed syphilis for fear it might ruffle the sensibilities of some bluenose society. General Johnson wasn't for syphilis, either. The only group radio ever stood up to was the atheists. Atheists were never allowed time on the air because the broadcaster was afraid God couldn't stand criticism.

Politeness is all very well but the thing can be carried too far. Sheer inoffensiveness is so small a virtue as to be no virtue at all. No one ever accomplished anything in this world without stepping on somebody's toes. The FCC has now given the broadcaster the right to harbor opinions. For God's sake, fellows, harbor some and hold to them. There are many times when the American people need and deserve censure. Go ahead and censure them. No man will turn you off. He'll think you're talking about the man next door.

Radio's timidity colored most of its programs. "Here is Joe Doakes, your friendly announcer." "The voice with the smile." "And here is your host." "Your friend and mine." For heaven's sake, television, don't be so friendly to just everybody. Lots of people aren't entitled to your friendship. Don't play host to everyone who comes along and don't smile *all* the time. There are times when the voice with a scowl is more appropriate and far more courageous.

One final word. Just because I dwelt at such length on radio's faults, I'd like to make it clear that I am not unaware of radio's virtues. It has many of them. But this, after all, is about radio's Seven Deadly Sins.



TELEVISION IS AT ITS BEST when it brings the public up close to important subjects, like Soviet Delegate Mahk at a U.N. session. Such subjects also are very popular. An estimated 25 million watched televised U.N. sessions during height of Korean war.



*Winning Trick*  
**for smart hostesses!**

*trump their tasters with Toaster-Fresh*

**Double Kay**



Just watch the grins spread when happy tasters discover the delicious goodness that's *toasted* into every Double Kay Nut by Double Kay's exclusive Toaster-Fresh process.

Certainly none but the world's finest nuts, carefully selected, pridefully prepared, and *guaranteed fresh*, could taste so good.

To be sure of getting genuine Double Kay quality . . . always look for the sparkling-white, heated Double Kay Nut Shop at all good stores in your community.



The world's finest salted nuts at famous DOUBLE KAY NUT SHOPS or in vacuum-packed cans . . .

*Toaster-Fresh*



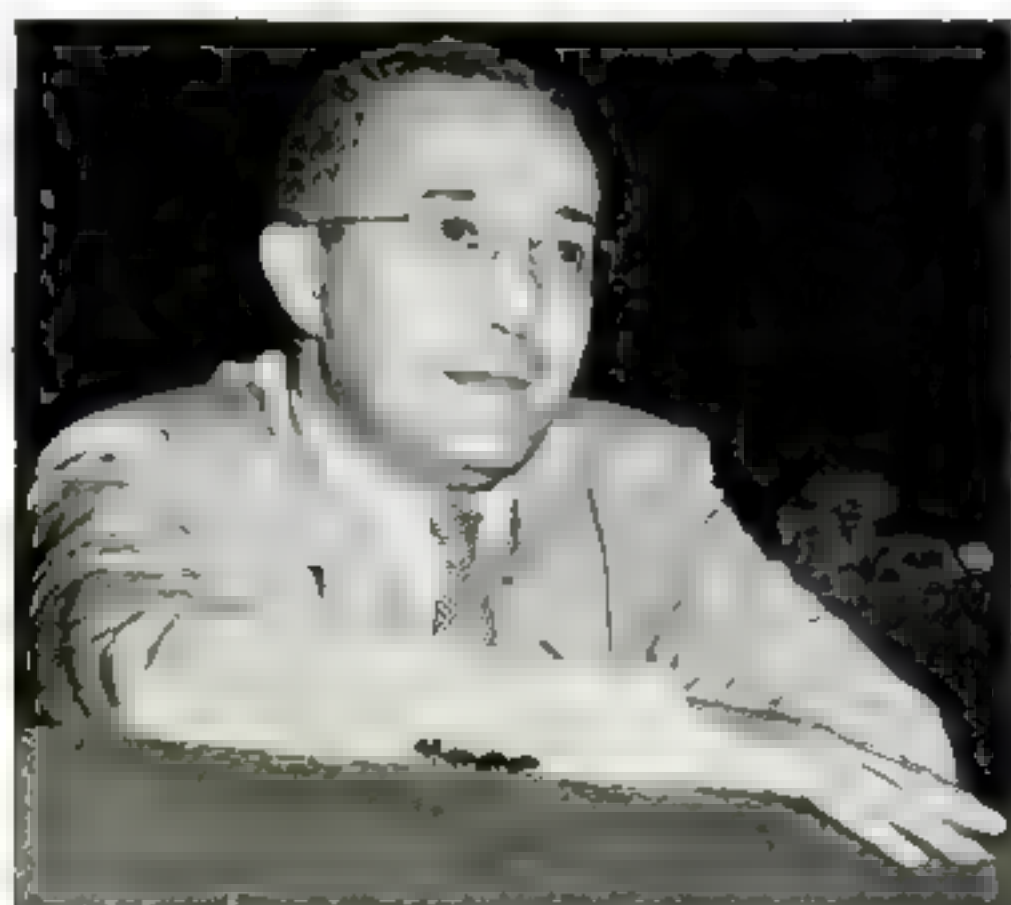




Sportsman's Park, home of the famed National League baseball club, the St. Louis Cardinals, often draws tremendous crowds like the one in

the above picture. But LIFE's audience in the St. Louis area alone would fill all of the 33,000 seats in Sportsman's Park more than 17 times.\*

## What happens when **LIFE** hits St. Louis?



President of the Cardinals, Fred M. Saigh, says: "Here in St. Louis, I'm sure that baseball in LIFE means more fans watching our ball team play in Sportsman's Park."

Soon after LIFE arrives in St. Louis each week, its impact begins to be felt on that city's civic, cultural and commercial affairs.

Recorded on these pages are some examples of this penetrating effect. Examples that show how LIFE set a trend in wedding cakes . . . aided a tuberculosis detection drive . . . upped attendance at the Zoo and Museum . . . increased interest in the Opera . . . and stimulated retail sales.

In city after city, town after town, across the nation, LIFE seems to have the same sort of effect. For LIFE has by far the largest audience of any magazine in this nation.

A recent and highly significant study has found that more than half of all American men, women and children over the age of 10 read LIFE, regularly or occasionally, in the course of 13 issues.\*

This study also found that 65% of all Americans

in middle and upper income groups, and 77% of all college-educated Americans read LIFE. And that these people are LIFE's most regular readers.

Little wonder that LIFE has become part of the commerce and culture, the entertainment and enlightenment of people in St. Louis and of Americans everywhere.

*\* From the new, important Accumulative Audience Study by Alfred Politz Research, Inc.*

This study measures the number of people who read a single issue of LIFE (23,950,000 Americans), reveals how this audience grows in thirteen issues to a total of 62,600,000 different people, and analyzes the characteristics of that audience.

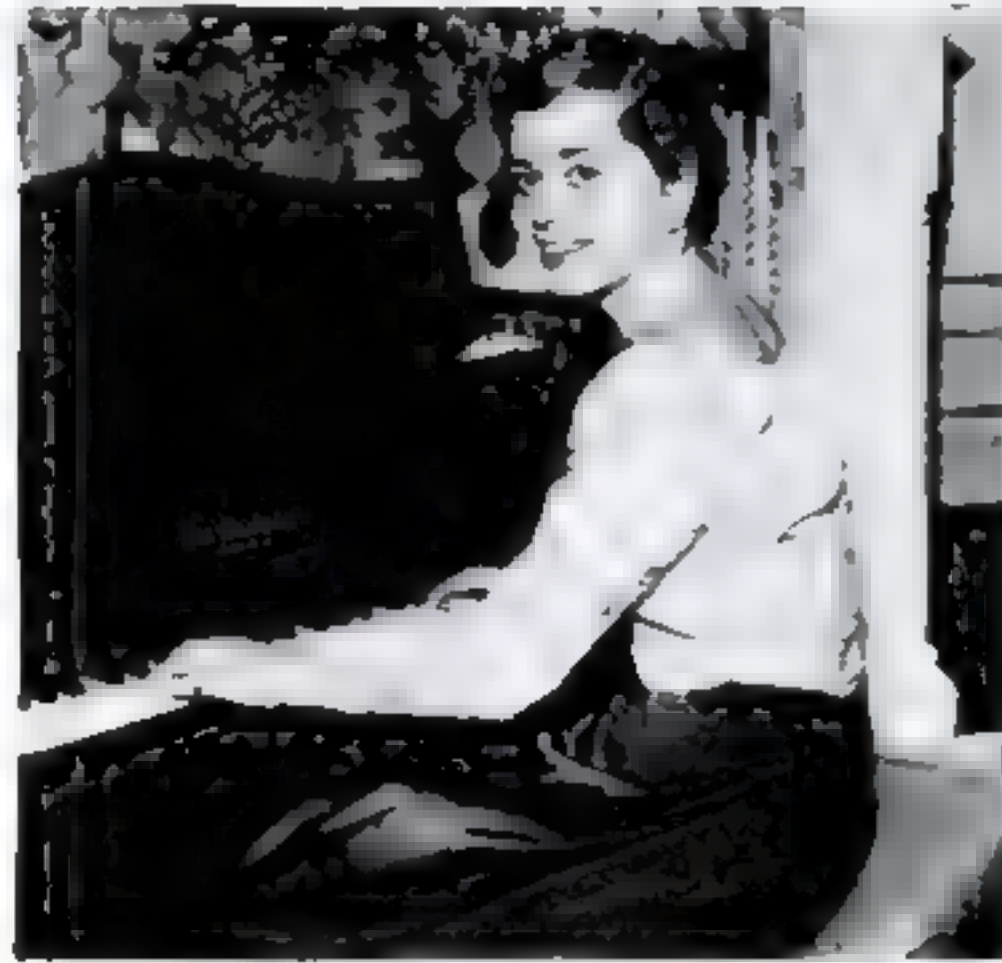
The figures quoted on these pages refer to the number of people who read one or more out of thirteen issues of LIFE.



## So many different people feel LIFE's impact . . .



**Publisher Joseph Pulitzer** of the famed St. Louis Post-Dispatch says: "LIFE speaks the universal language of pictures as it has never been spoken before. Its impact on the Middle West is always great, often tremendous."



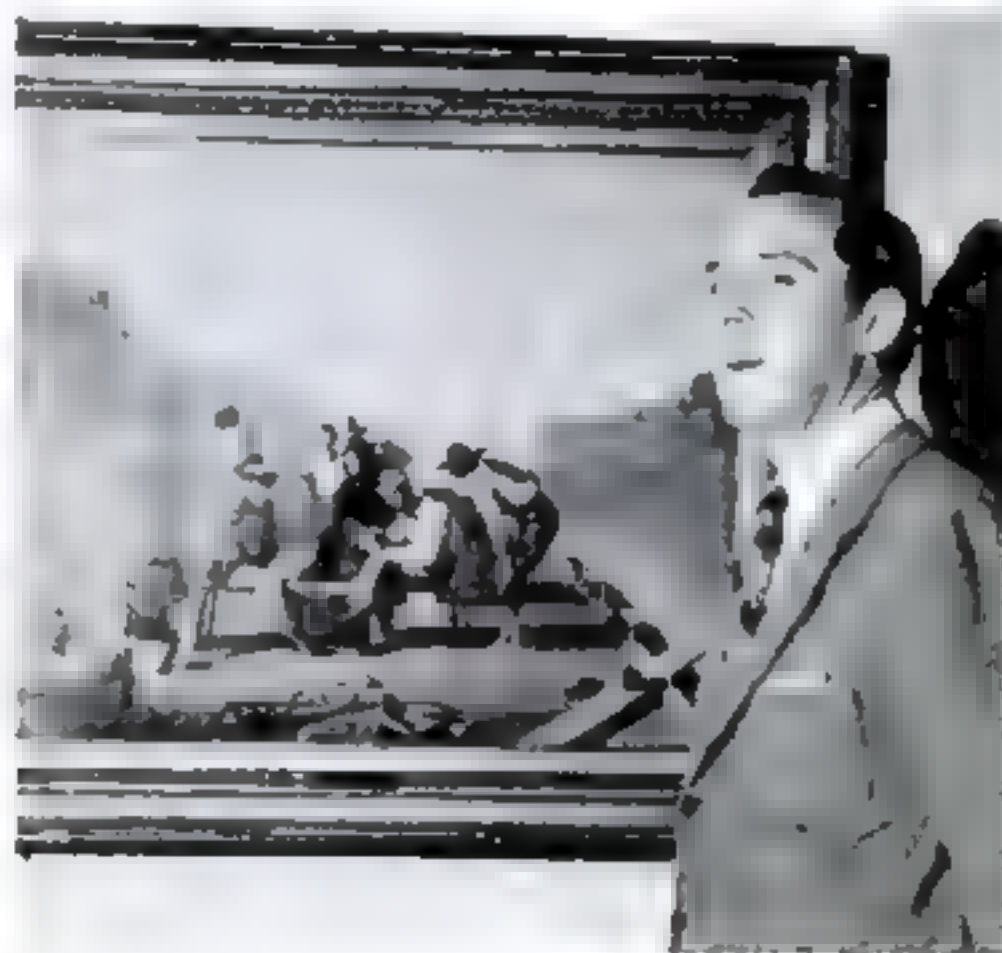
**Socialite Barbara Budke**, one of LIFE's more than 13 million young adult readers aged 20 to 29,\* appeared in LIFE as aide in local drive to detect tuberculosis. Result, TB chapter got marked increase in offers of voluntary help.



**Baker Joe Machatehek**, shown in LIFE with Veep Barkley's wedding cake, reports result: "Demand increased immediately for a cake just like the one in LIFE. That one picture set a definite trend in wedding cakes in St. Louis."



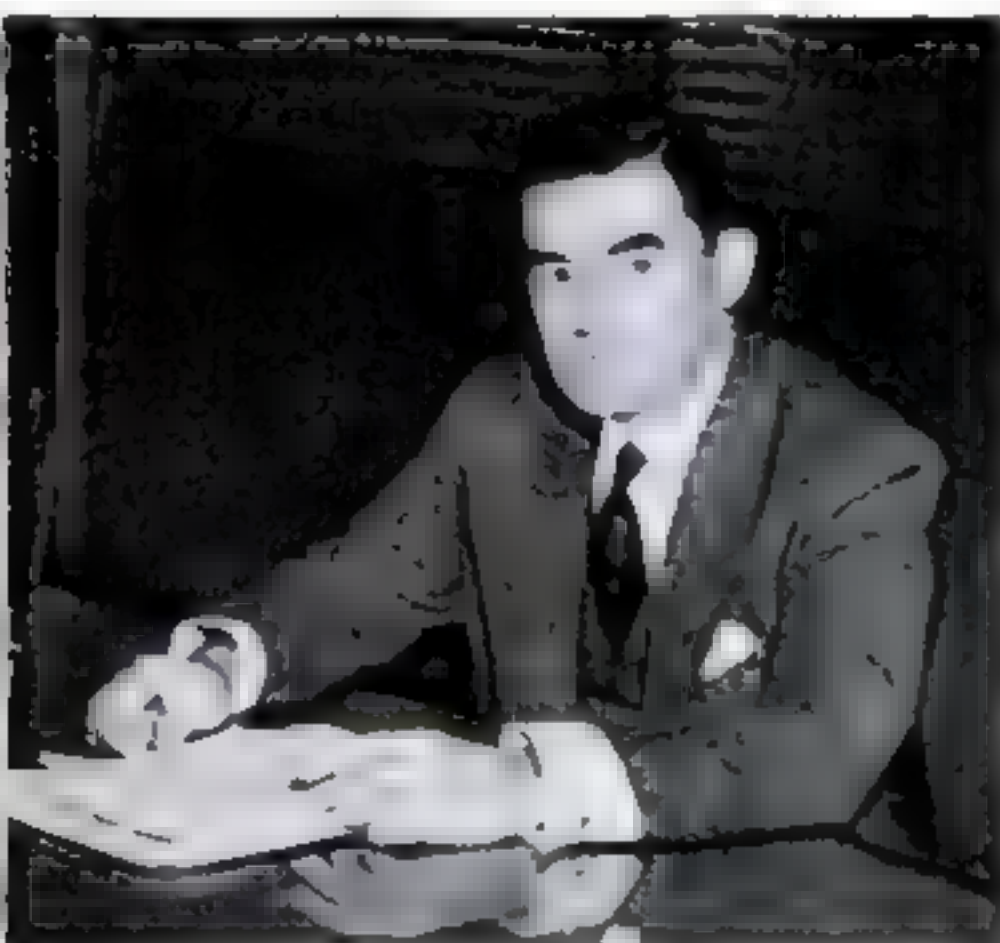
**Zoologist George Vierheller** of the St. Louis Zoo reports what happened after LIFE story on his performing chimpanzees: "I definitely attribute a great increase in visitors to the Zoo to the LIFE story on our amazing chimps."



**Museum Director Perry T. Rathbone** knows LIFE's impact. After City Art Museum's Mississippi River paintings appeared in LIFE, attendance nearly doubled. To 77% of college-educated Americans, LIFE brings such art news.\*



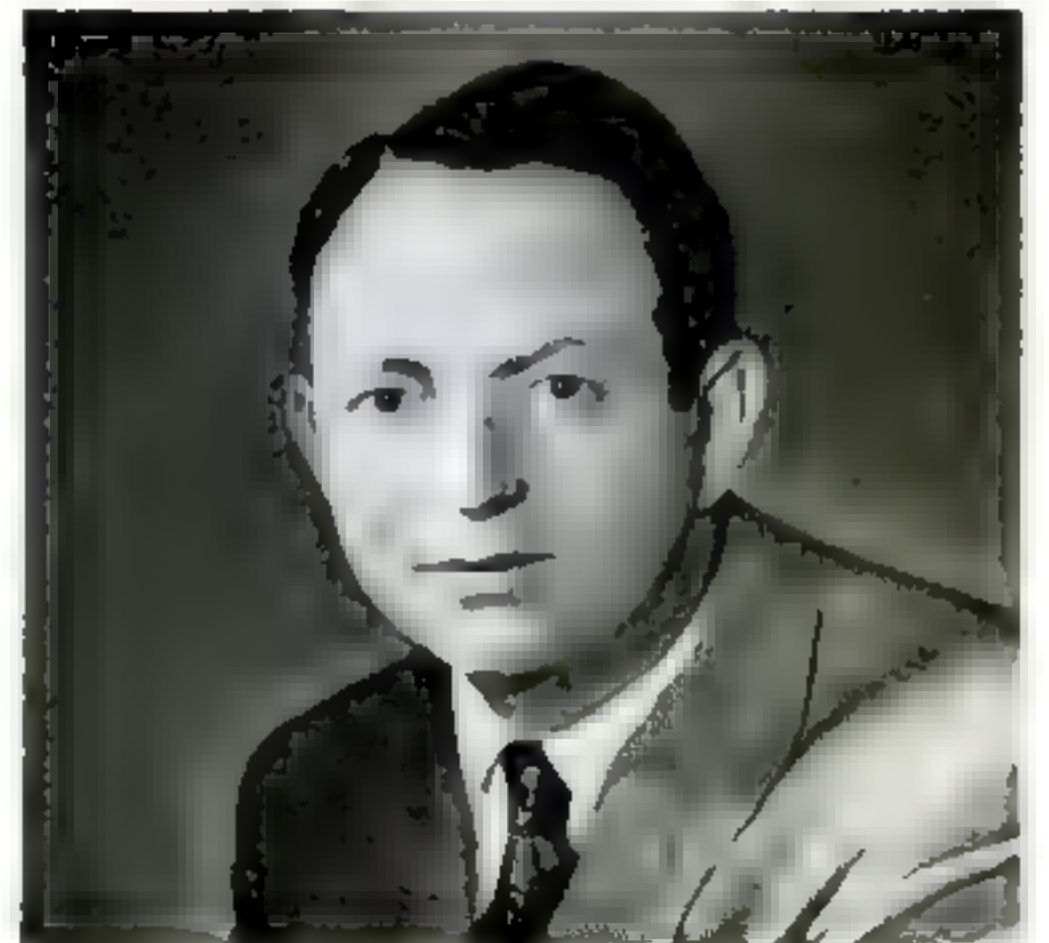
**Opera Manager Paul Beisman** of St. Louis Municipal Opera felt the impact: "LIFE has a terrific pulling power in the St. Louis area. We received hundreds of letters as a result of just one mention of our opera in LIFE."



**Banker David R. Calhoun, Jr.**, President of the St. Louis Union Trust Company, said: "LIFE gives a remarkably broad coverage of topics of importance to citizens of the Midwest." In LIFE's audience are 70% of all American business owners, executives and professional people.\*



**Wholesaler William Whitehead** of the Interstate Supply Co., knows LIFE's influence on both dealers and consumers: "People buy known products, and they know them best from LIFE." Mr. Whitehead is one of the 31,050,000 male readers who are included in LIFE's total audience.\*

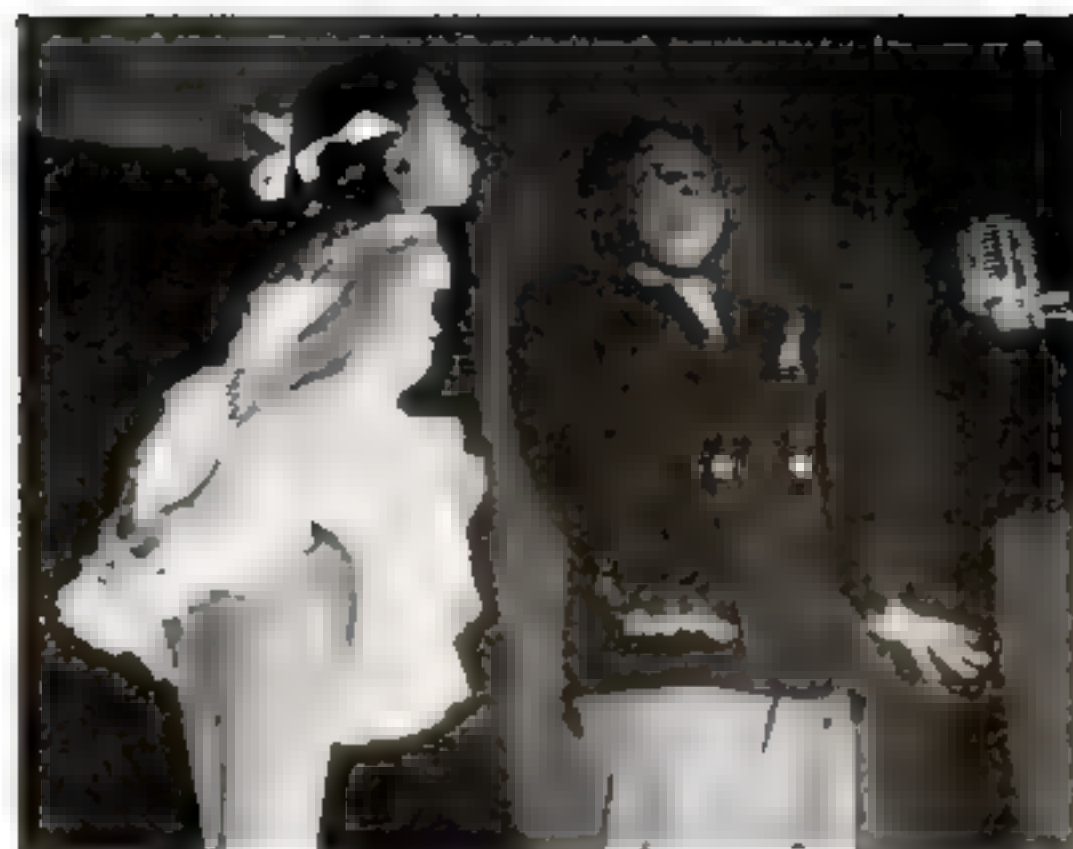


**Retailer Morton D. May**, General Manager, Famous-Barr Department Store, knows LIFE interests St. Louis women as much as it does all of its 31,550,000 feminine readers.\* He says: "LIFE's presentations of fashions have created demand that produced excellent sales results."





**AT THE FOOTLIGHTS** Jerrilyn and Jacqueline Lessner, a sister act, go through tap dance routine.



**"CRAZY DOINGS,"** sung by Alethra Jones and Willie Gardner, describes the silly things a boy does after he has been kissed.

## *Life Goes to the Starbuds' Revue*

### **SMALL HOOFERS TAKE OVER CARNEGIE HALL**

Every year a Harlem dancing teacher named Mary Bruce, whose former pupils have included Katherine Dunham, takes 300 of her best pupils downtown to Carnegie Hall and puts on an evening's show that fills the auditorium with friends, relatives and the general public. To the "Starbuds," as Miss Bruce calls them, the sedate, somber symphony hall was hardly awe-inspiring. At rehearsals they practiced dance

steps on the carpeted stairs, played hide-and-seek in the vast auditorium and perched on the square plush theater seats, some of which suddenly upended, engulfing tiny performers. But their breezy self-assurance and effortless precision made the show that evening a hit. Asked if she wanted to be a ballet dancer when she grew up, a 5-year-old practicing wobbly arabesques replied with finality, "I am a ballet dancer."



**ALREADY DANCING** while waiting to get into hall for show, Robert Jennings, 7, and Freida Stanley, 4, try a few steps which their parents (right) do not notice.

**THE CHORUS LINE** of Baby Dolls, aged 3 to 6, puts on its principal number, most popular in show, a snappy, lustily sung version of *Oh, You Beautiful Doll*.







# Perfect Pan



Eggs

A perfect pan for eggs? Yes . . . for frying, for scrambling, for the perfect soufflé and the perfect omelet! Yes, it's Club Aluminum! The yellow diagram shows why. This thick cast aluminum heats quickly, uniformly—cooks from all sides on low surface heat. And what Club does for eggs, it does for other foods, too. Vegetables, fruits, meats cook in their own moisture to "Full Flavor." Vitamins and minerals are saved.

Millions of women formerly bought Club through its famous home demonstrations, but today you can buy it at your favorite store. Ask to see this handsome cookware with the mar-resisting hammered finish.

CLUB ALUMINUM PRODUCTS CO., CHICAGO 14, ILLINOIS

**CLUB ALUMINUM HAMMERCRAFT WATERLESS COOKWARE**

Also Club Glass  
Coffee Makers and  
Club Coffee Dispensers

This is the cookware that  
heats from top down—sides in—  
bottom up—that's Club's secret



© CAPCO.

**Club**

This 10-inch  
chicken fryer is just one  
of 20 Club open-stock pieces,  
all of which make ideal gifts.

Hear "Club Time"—ABC Network—Saturdays—5:45 PM on most stations

## Starbuds' Revue CONTINUED



DRESSING FOR BALLET, Hilda Clark and Yvonne Williams swirl around in their crisp tulle costumes. Their mothers came down to act as their dressers.



FOOLING AROUND, boys try putting lipstick on each other while waiting in the Green Room, usually restricted to the conductor and visiting soloists.





**BLASÉ OLDTIMER**, 4-year-old Judy May Brown, is made up by her mother. This was her second show. In both she has been one of the Baby Dolls chorus.

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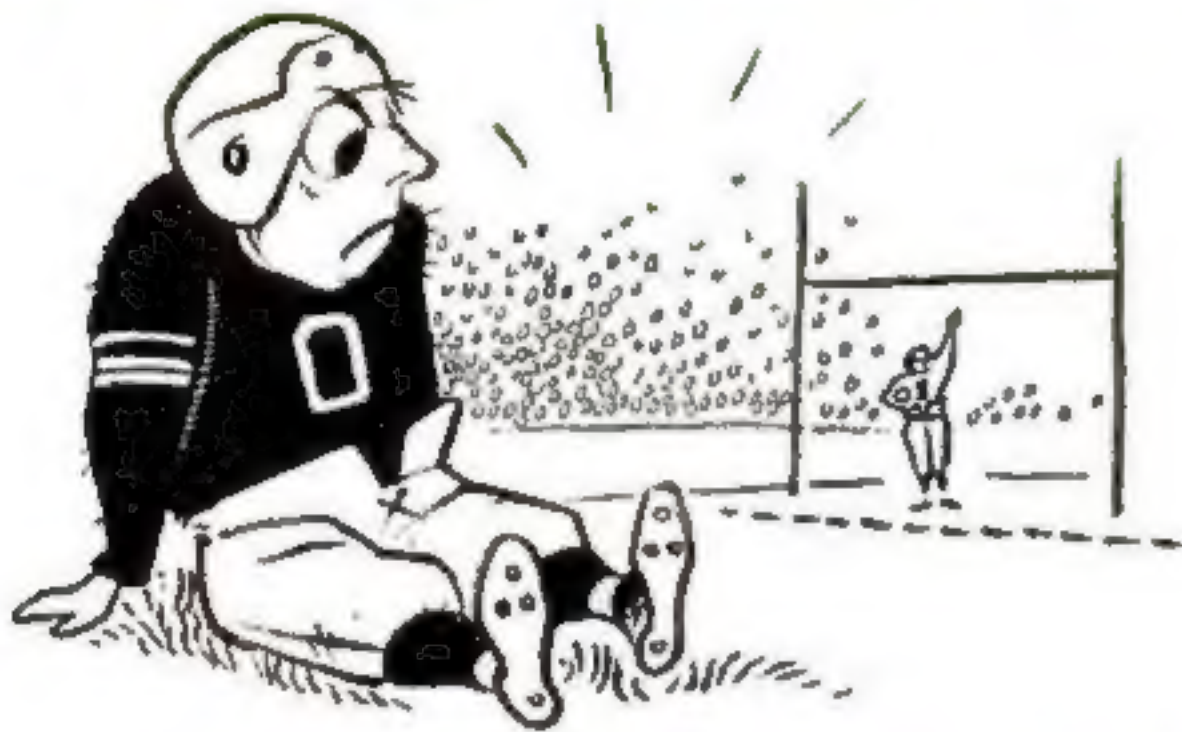


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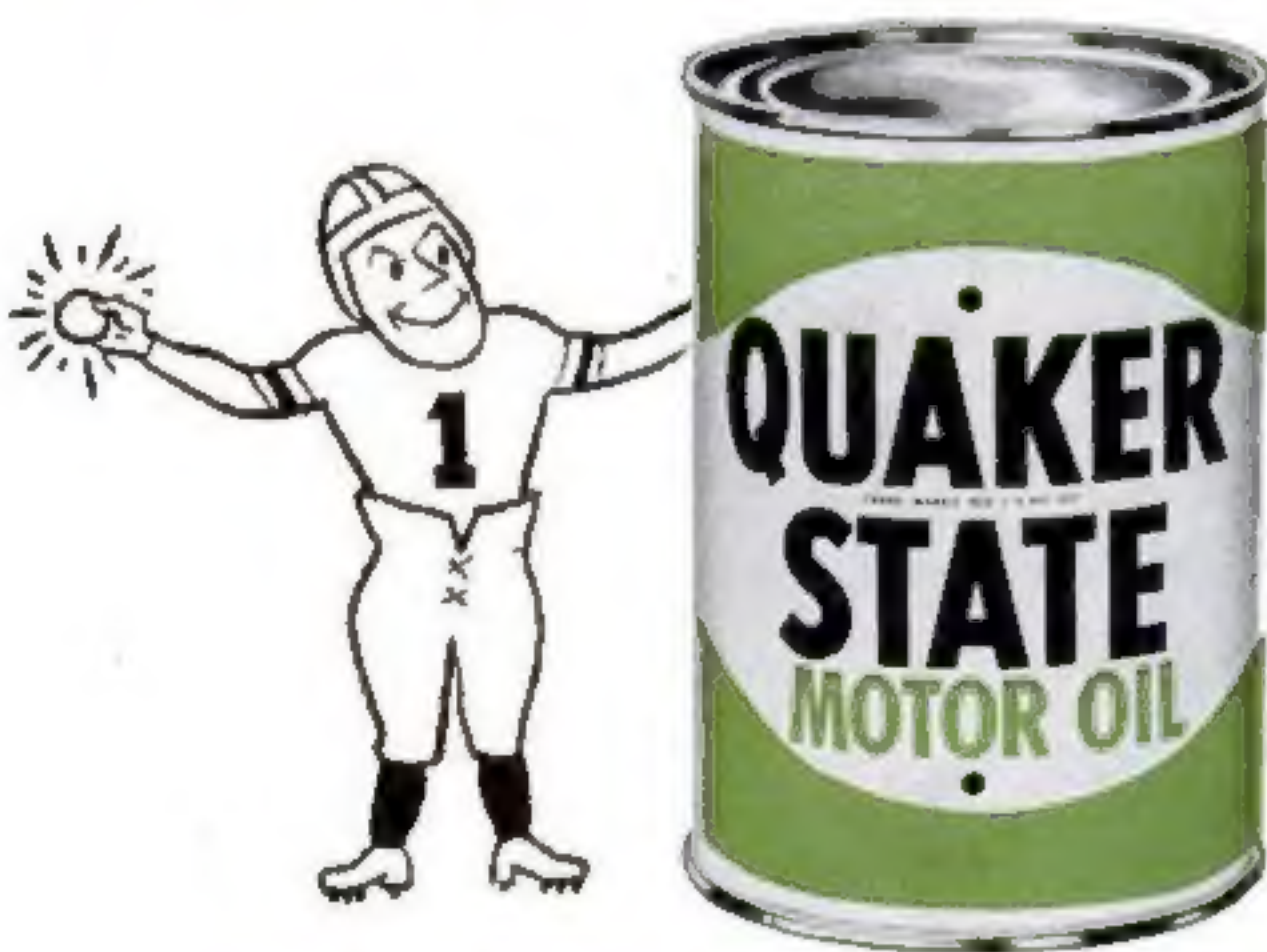




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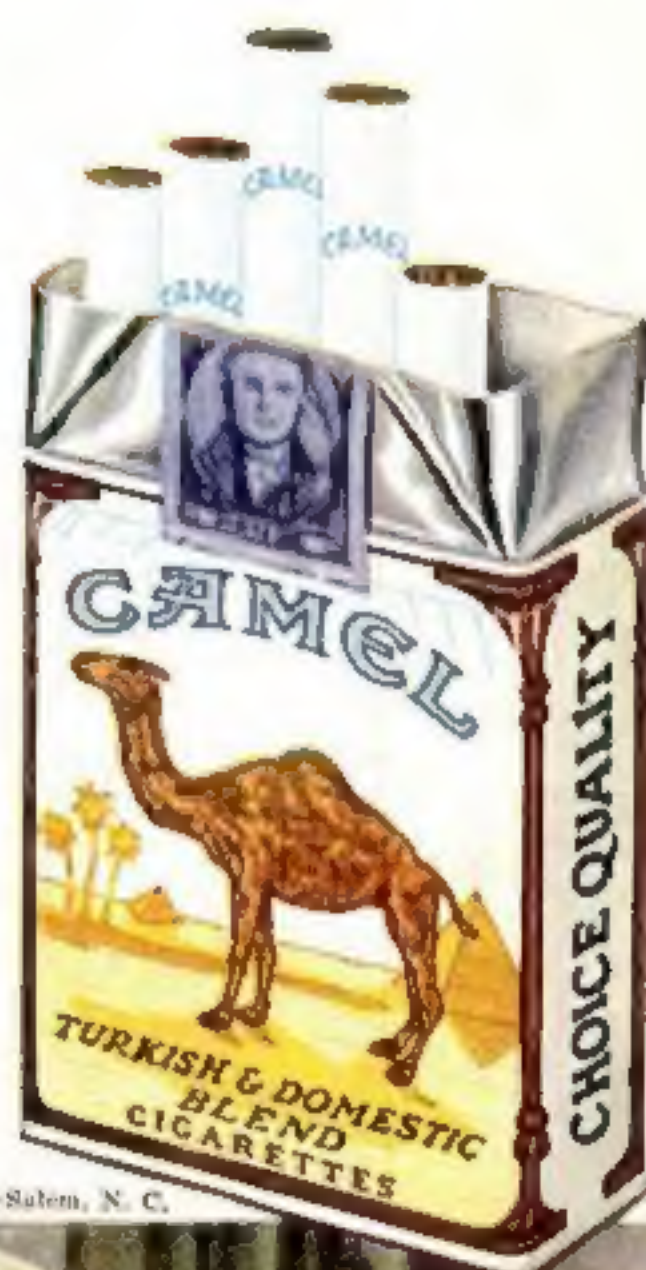
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